THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness Tuesday, followed by rain in afternoon or night; Wednesday, rain by night; variable winds, becoming brisk south.

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WAGE DETERMINED FIGHT FOR TREATY

President Taft and Champ Clark Favor Reciprocity With all Nations

SPOKE FROM SAME PLATFORM

Made Stirring Addresses to Pan-American Commercial Conference—Nearly 600 Delegates Present—Features.

Washington, February 13.—Reciprocity with Canada, reciprocity with all countries of North and South America and reciprocity, in fact, with all nations, was advocated by both President Taft and Speaker-to-be Champ Clark, in stirring addresses at the opening sessions of the Pan-American Commercial Conference today.

Speeches favoring a closer commercial union of North and South America with frequent reference to the future influences of the Panama Canal were made by Secretary of State, Mr. Knox, James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation; Senor Calvo, the Costa Rican minister to the United States; Senor Calderon, the Bolivian minister to the United States, and Senor Casasus, formerly the Mexican ambassador to his country. Nearly 600 delegates were present.

Champ Clark, who had just left the House of Representatives, announced in his address amid loud applause that the test vote for immediate consideration of the Canadian reciprocity bill had been won by the administration. Turning to President Taft, he said, laughingly:

"That's a document which the President and myself own in partnership. But, speaking for myself, not for President Taft, or any one else, I am for reciprocity not only with Canada, but with all Southern and Central American Republics. In fact, I'm in favor of reciprocity with all nations of the earth. My principle is that honest trade never hurt any nation yet."

Mr. Clark's concluding statement that the Pan-American Union and The Hague tribunal were two influences which would finally put an end to war among civilized nations, was enthusiastically received.

"The last speaker and the next speaker and I," said President Taft, who followed Mr. Clark, "have gotten together on one plank of the platform; we're both rather heavy men, and I hope it'll support us. It's a great pleasure to be with him in the promotion of trade in one part of the world (Canada). He's in favor of reciprocity in all parts of the world, and so am I, but that doesn't help much toward a definite agreement. We'll all vote for wise measures, but when it comes to determine what measures are wise, there's a difference. In anticipation of his coming to be head of the great popular branch of the Legislature, we have already gotten together on the most important matter, and I hope we can carry it through."

The President declared that the promotion of commercial relations necessarily bring about a closer political and social relationship between nations, and "makes less likely the hostility and hard feelings that are likely to lead to war.

"I have no doubt," added the President, "that as commercial relations become wider and The Hague tribunal's purpose in preventing becomes better understood, the Union of all these countries in this world can be done by an international union for the purpose of maintaining peace."

Secretary Knox emphasized the part that American capital should play in developing the resources of Pan-America.

"Let me candidly confess," he said, "that in the past we have been too ignorant of our Southern neighbors, their vast undeveloped resources and the measures they have been taking to open themselves to the world. The trade currents flow between the United States and its Latin-American neighbors should be North and South. We have reached the stage in our national development where our capitol, never timorous when the opportunities are commensurate with its effort, looks to the South."

Secretary Knox declared that the United States believed in better railroad construction, the development of the treasures of the Andes and in an international bank "which will keep the commercial currents flowing in their proper directions."

"We believe in all these projects," he said, "and we believe that the countries which have these undeveloped resources should be aided by capital from the United States, and the United States should reap the legitimate fruits of such enterprise."

President Farrell, of the United States Steel Corporation, defended American export methods as equal to, and in many cases superior to the methods of European manufacturing countries. He declared with reference to the criticism that Americans do not extend their credit relations in export trade that "wherever there is a basis for credit American manufacturers will be found as ready to grant it as Europeans."

Senor Calvo, the Costa Rican minister; Senor Calderon, the Bolivian minister, and Senor Casasus, formerly the Mexican Ambassador here, all lauded Pan-American unity, and spoke hopefully of the completion of the Panama canal as a humanizing as well as commercial influence on the welfare of both continents.

Another Pathe.

A "Cowboy's Devotedness." thrilling Western drama. Grand Theatre today. **

Samples of premiums to be given away during big sale are now on display in Gaylord's north window. **

Wonderful bargains all over the big store at Rehder's White Sale. **

WILL AFFECT SHIP BUILDING

Secretary Meyer Against Extending Eight-Hour Law to Private Shipyards—Tells of Big Cost to the Nation.

New York, Feb. 13.—The cost to the nation of the extension to private shipyards of the eight-hour labor law, as proposed, was one of the topics discussed by Secretary of the Navy Meyer in his address here tonight before the Republican Club. Secretary Meyer quoted, as an example, the difference in cost between the Florida now building at the New York Navy Yard, where the eight-hour law is effective, and the Utah, a sister ship, launched six months ago at a private navy yard in Camden. The Florida, he said, would cost $6,400,000, or $2,450,000 more than the ship built at the private yard.

"It is interesting to note also what a detriment it would be to the resources of the country if the private yards are to be driven to an eight-hour basis just at the moment when our shipyards are successfully competing with the shipbuilding organizations of the great maritime nations," he said. "We know that if the vessels of the building programme recommended by the President were to be built in the government navy yards it would cost about $20,775,000, whereas if built under present conditions of labor in the private shipyards, without restrictions by an eight-hour law, there would be a saving of about five and one-quarter millions of dollars.

"The battleship Arkansas, which was launched last month at Camden, N. J., was constructed and launched at a cost of four and one-half millions, or one and one-half millions less than the limit of cost fixed by Congress. The Florida, building at the New York navy yard, will cost $6,400,000, and its cost will exceed that of her sister ship, the Utah, by $2,450,000.

"In the case of the new Texas, a thousand tons larger than the Arkansas, with the eight-hour provision the Department was obliged to accept the one offer of $5,830,000, an advance in price over that for the Arkansas of $1,750,000, although the size had only increased a thousand tons. It is estimated that the sister ship of the new Texas, to be called the New York, which Congress provided should be built in a navy yard—meaning the New York yard—can not be built for less than $7,500,000. In other words, if Congress will permit the New York to be built at a private ship yard, a saving can be effected, based on the estimate for the Texas, even with the eight-hour limit of labor, of $1,650,000.

"All of us are anxious for universal peace and there are many who feel that it can eventually be brought about by an International Supreme Court. We must bear in mind, however, that no court can be of any service unless its decrees can be enforced. When the nations agree to an international court, it is certain that five or six of the great nations will be obliged to maintain navies in order that the decrees of the court will be maintained. It will be necessary that no one of these nations shall have a greater or more powerful navy than the combined navies of the other nation members of the court. We may, therefore, feel sure that the American navy in the future, under the most favorable conditions as to peace, will have to exist. It will have to be ready to do its share in the enforcement of the decrees of this court, if established, when necessary."

Secretary Meyer spoke of the desirability of establishing a naval base at Guantanamo and mentioned plans of the Navy Department for developing Pacific coast harbors so that the entire fleet might be maintained on the western coast. This, Secretary Meyer said, would follow the opening of the Panama Canal.

TRAGEDY NEAR ASHEVILLE.

Farmer Kills Another as Result of Drunken Brawl.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 13.—As the result of a drunken fight between two life long friends Sunday night, Wayne Kelley, of Black Mountain, N. C., was killed by Walter Pressley, in an old field, several miles from that city. The body of the dead man was not found until today and it showed that he had been hit in the head with a blunt instrument, probably a rock. Officers this afternoon arrested Pressley and lodged him in jail here. He will plead self defense.

Pressley has a bad cut on the neck which he claims was inflicted by the dead man. Apparently there were no eye witnesses of the tragedy and the arrested refused to give any information as to what caused the fight, though he admits that both of them were drinking. Both men were about 20 years of age.

HOUSE MAY FAVOR TRADE AGREEMENT

Important Measure Will Probably Pass Before Adjournment Today

DEBATE FOLLOWS TEST VOTE

Serious Split in Republican Ranks on Reciprocity—Speeches For and Against Measure—Interest In Action.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The McCall bill carrying into effect the Canadian reciprocity agreement reached the floor of the House today and probably will be passed by that body before adjournment tomorrow night. Republican opponents to the measure admitted today that there was no hope of stopping it in the House.

A test vote came today soon after the House was called to order by Speaker Cannon. Mr. McCall moved the immediate consideration of his bill. This was objected to ostensibly on the ground that it was District of Columbia Day on the calendar and that important matters of legislation affecting the district were pending.

When the vote began, however, it soon became apparent that, with comparatively few exceptions, the lines were being tightly drawn between those favoring and those opposing the trade agreement. As finally corrected the vote to take up the bill was 197 to 120. The bill will be passed, it is expected, by even a larger majority. Today 101 Republicans voted against immediate consideration. This number will show a decided dimiution on the final roll call. Sixty-three Republicans voted for immediate consideration.

The Democratic vote was divided 134 in favor of immediate consideration and 19 against. Democratic leaders say there will be six or seven against the passage of the bill from their side.

No time for a vote was set today, but tomorrow Mr. McCall will endeavor to secure an agreement to end general debate at 5 o'clock, and then to begin the reading of the bill for amendment, the House to remain in session until the measure is passed.

The test vote today and the general debate that followed, clearly demonstrated the serious split that exists among the Republicans of the House on recipricity. It now appears that a majority of the Republicans will vote against the measure, although the President is likely to get more support from that side of the chamber than he first anticipated. Like the "regulars," the "insurgent" ranks also are torn wide open and like the regulars again, a majority of them will vote against the measure.

Some of the Republicans, who spoke today, declared they saw, in the reciprocity agreement the beginning of the end of protection. The Democrats applauded this vociferously.

The Republican split is accentuated by the fact that one member of that party, Mr. McCall, of Massachusetts, is directing the debate in favor of the measure, and another Republican, Mr. Dalzell, of Pennsyvania, is directing the fight against it.

Representative Hill, of Connecticut, opend the debate in favor of the bill and was the only Republican to advocate it today. He was seconded by Representatives Harrison, of New York, and A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, Democrats. Representatives Gaines, of West Virginia; Martin, of South Dakota, and Kendall, of Iowa, all Republicans, spoke against reciprocity.

Mr. Hill declared that under reciprocity trade between this country and Hawaii, and Cuba flourished; that under free trade with Porto Rico, our trade with that island increased nearly fifteen fold; that under reciprocal relations with the Philippine Islands, mutual trade has grown 20 per cent. in less than a year. In all of these cases the proposition to enter upon such trade relations was met with prophecies of direct disaster to some existing industry in this country and in every case the prophecy failed of fulfillment, the new policy resulting in mutual advantage.

Mr. Gaines complained that the reciprocity measures had been railroaded through with "indecent haste."

Mr. Harrison, of New York, favoring the measure said the Democrats were anxious to have reciprocity. It would show the American farmer in a very little while, he asserted, that protection had been of no benefit to him. The farmer, he said, had for years been held in line for Republicanism through false pretenses.

"And when he finds that protection was a humbug in his case," added Mr. Harrison, "he will help us to get better tariff schedules as to other things."

Mr. Palmer also favoring the bill, characterized it as a belated acknowledgement of the disappointment the country felt over the Payne-Aldrich law.

Grange Fighting Reciprocity.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 13.—The proposed Canadian reciprocity agreement is attacked in a letter sent today to

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FORCEFUL PLEA FOR LORIMER

Senator Bailey Asks That Illinois Senator be Permitted to Retain His Seat—Crowd Applauded His Remarks.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Defense of Senator Lorimer, of Illinois, was offered by Senator Bailey, of Texas, today in a speech so powerful that it was heard and applauded from time to time, by what was perhaps the largest attendance of members and spectators that has been seen on the floor and in the galleries of the Senate chamber during the present session of Congress.

His plea that the senator from Illinois be permitted to retain his seat, was of so elaborate a nature and delivered with such force and fervor that it placed Mr. Bailey in the chief place among the defenders of Mr. Lorimer.

From the legal and personal points of view Mr. Bailey presented the case of Mr. Lorimer.

In the main the speech was a review of the law and the testimony by Mr. Bailey introduced many novel and striking features, not the least startling of which was the assertion that forgery had been resorted to to make a case against the Illinois senator. This, he asserted, had been in connection with the effort to show that Senator Holtslaw, of the Illinois Legislature, had been bribed to vote for Mr. Lorimer.

He pointed out that Holstlaw's name had been improperly used on the deposit slip used when the money was alleged to have received had been placed in bank. It developed that a portion of this statement had been based on a brief in the case, but the Texas senator did not retreat from the statement that Holtslaw had made the deposit personally. Senator Cummins presented the original slip, which he said was not in Mr. Holtslaw's handwriting, but it was not accepted by Mr. Bailey.

Mr. Bailey boldly charged that the war on Mr. Lorimer had been unrelenting and personal, and said that the effort had been not so much to convict wrong-doers as to destroy Mr. Lorimer.

The Illinoisan was held up as a man possessed of all the private virtues, and the Texan declared that more than the testimony of confessed bribetakers would be necessary to convince him of practices on the part of Mr. Lorimer. In connection with his presentation of the law features in the case, Mr. Bailey gave what he declared to be the practice of the Senate in vacating seats, holding no senator responsible for acts of corruption in his behalf when he had not been cognizant of them, and requiring the vitiation of enough votes to rob him of his majority in case of his lack of acquaintance with the facts. On direct summons Senators Root, Cummins and Borah, all opposed to Lorimer, gave assent to the first proposition, and the two last named did so with reference to the second. Many members of the House stood against the Senate walls while the address was in process of delivery and Mr. Lorimer himself was in his seat. Mr. Bailey will continue his speech tomorrow.

GEN. LEARY IS DEAD.

Retired Army Officer Passes Away At Baltimore.

Baltimore, Feb. 13.—Brigadier General Peter Leary, Jr., U. S. A., (retired), died at his home here tonight.

General Leary was born in Baltimore in 1840 and was a son of Cornelius L. L. Leary, a member from Maryland in the 37th Congress. He entered the army as a volunteer private in 1862 and served throughout the Civil war with distinction. He was in charge of an artillery station in Florida during the Spanish-American war and was appointed brigadier general on July 7, 1904, upon his retirement from active service.

OUTLINES.

The administration won in the test vote on the Canadian treaty in the House yesterday and general debate on the measure begun immediately. It is probable that the measure will be passed before the House adjours today——Secretary Meyer, of the Navy, in his address before the Republican Club in New York yesterday, explained how the nation saved by allowing private shipyards to build battleships——President Taft and Champ Clark spoke from the same platform, both for reciprocity, at the Pan-American Commercial Conference in Washington yesterday —— Senator Bailey, of Texas, in the Senate made a forceful speech in defense of Senator Lorimer, of Illinois. He asked that the Senator might be permitted to retain his seat——Provisional president of Mexico, Francisco I. Madero, is believed to have visited El Paso yesterday and a warrant was issued for his arrest——All factions of the Republican party in New York State gathered in harmony last night at the annual dinner of the Republican Club ——Colonel Goethels addressed members of Congress last night on the work being carried on in Panama and the progress on the canal——Postmaster General Hitchcock replied to the attack of magazine publishers regarding the increase postage on certain publications.

Joyland, Joyland, Joyland.

See the big feature film, "A Tip to Husbands." **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

INCREASE POSTAGE IS DECLARED JUST

Hitchcock Defends the Proposed Course of the Post-office Department

ATTACK FROM THE PUBLISHERS

Declares Government is Sustaining Heavy Loss While Large Profits Are Being Made on Magazines—Criticism.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Large profits asserted to be inuring to publishers of magazines and immense losses being sustained by the government in the transportation of magazines as second class mail matter at existing rates, are made the basis of a statement issued tonight by Postmaster General Hitchcock in response to the attack made by the magazine publishers upon the proposed increase of the postage rate on the advertising pages of the large magazines from one cent to four cents a pound.

Mr. Hitchcock makes it clear that the proposed new rate "does not affect newspapers of any kind, nor does it apply to periodicals maintaining less than 4,000 pounds to each issue."

"Applying the increase to the entire amount of second-class matter," continued Mr. Hitchcock, "it would amount to less than one cent a pound."

Mr. Hitchcock says: "In a whole-page-newspaper advertisement signed by 34 of the principal magazines and periodical publishers of the country, it is stated that the increase rate will drive a majority of the popular magazines out of existence and with them the enormous volume of profitable first-class mail their advertising creates.

"The public should know that this change is made in the face of the fact that a part, if not all, of the signers of the statement are realizing tremendous profits from the vast amount of high priced advertisements contained in the columns of their periodicals, which the government is today carrying at the extraordinary low rate of one cent per pound, and at a total cost of more than nine cents a pound.

"During the fiscal year 1910 over 800,000,000 pounds of second class matter was carried through the public mails at a loss of $62,000,000 to the government, while the returns from third-class matter were practically self-sustaining, and on that of first and fourth-class matter there was a large saving of revenue, leaving the total postal deficit for the year not quite $6,000,000. While the other classes of mail matter pay the cost of their carriage, and on the first and fourth classes, a large revenue is derived, the greater burden of the postal deficit lies at the door of second-class matter. It remains to be determined whether the people who mail letters of general correspondence the publishers of books and paphlets and the senders of small merchandise, shall be taxed to meet the deficit caused by the existence of the subsidy rate to the publishers of the large magazines of the country."

Various protests were registered today against the proposed increase of rates on second-class mail matter. M. H. Madden, of Chicago, representing the Typographical Union, came to consult with officers of the American Federation of Labor. He declared that Labor interests, especially printers, pressmen and allied workmen would be affected by the proposed legislation.

W. C. Hollister, also of Chicago, head of a committee of seven representing the Ben Franklin Club, an organization of publishers, said that more than 500,000 employes would be affected by the increase of rates.

Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, said that his organization was "heart and soul in the effort to defeat the bill."

Representative Champ Clark sent a telegram to a magazine publisher today in which he said:

"Am dead against the increase of postal rates on advertising sections of magazines. It is unfair, unjust and unwise. It is a tax on information; a hurricane to education. It will increase the already too high cost of living. People will oppose it when they understand it."

Senator Clapp, fo Minnesota, telegraphed a Northwest publishing firm which had asked his opinion on the matter that he never had encountered "a measure that seemed so unjust and so fraught with the purpose of destruction."

Norman E. Mack, of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, telegraphed to publishers here today that the increase in rates would be a "great hardship, particularly on readers of popular magazines."

Another Pathe.

A "Cowboy's Devotedness," thrilling Western drama. Grand Theatre today. **

The character of their stock guarantees the character of Platt & Haar's Earthquake Sale. **

REPUBLICANS AT PEACE AGAIN

All Factions of Party in New York State Attend Annual Dinner of Club—Notables Attend—Features.

New York, Feb. 13.—For the first time since the fight at the State convention at Saratoga last September, all factions of the Republican party in New York State, gathered tonight in harmony. The occasion was the 50th annual dinner of the Republican Club of New York City, in commemoration of the 102nd anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

William Barnes, Jr., newly elected chairman of the Republican State Committee, who led in the fight against Col. Roosevelt at Saratoga, was seated at the right of the ex-President and entered into an animated conversation several times during the dinner. Seth Low, president of the club, presided. He had on his list as speakers Col. Roosevelt, the Rev. Dr. Frank W. Gunsaolus, president of the Armour Institute at Chicago, who delivered the Lincoln oration; Judge Emery Speer, of the United States Circuit Court of Georgia, and George Von L. Meyer, Secretary of the Navy, who represented President Taft.

Lloyd C. Griscom, Henry L. Stimson and Timothy L. Woodruff were among Republican leaders who were present. General Frederick D. Grant, U. S. A., General Thomas A. Barry, U. S. A., and Admiral E. H. C. Leutze, were also guests.

Mr. Roosevelt was invited to be a guest to the dinner shortly after his return from Africa, which was before the split last Fall, following his entry into State politics. The Republican club at that time openly expressed disapproval of Col. Roosevelt's methods, and some of his opponents later desired that the club withdraw the invitation. It was decided later to overlook factional differences and make a harmony feast of tonight's dinner.

Col. Roosevelt was the last speaker of the evening. He began by saying that he regarded the movement to elect senators by popular vote a genuine progressive policy.

"It is a genuine progressive principle" he said, "but to take away the national control over election of senators is retrogressive. I object to plans by which a retrogressive principle is tagged a progressive one."

A toast was drunk to the President of the United States just before the introduction of the Secretary of Navy Meyer, who had been sent to the banquet as a representative of the President. A telegram from the President was read in which he expressed regret at not being able to attend the meeting personally and repeating a portion of his speech at Springfield, Ill., last Saturday in which he urged a suitable Lincoln memorial in Washington.

MAN KILLED AT RALEIGH.

Dun Down and Crushed to Death Under Car.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 13.—Mallory Faucett, a white man, was run down tonight by a street car here and crushed to death. He was crossing the track when he was struck and with his head striking the fender he was turned upside down and his heels broke the front glass of the car. His head was crushed and death came almost immediately. He was formerly a conductor on the Seaboard Air Line and for some months had worked in a livery stable here.

BASKETBALL AT TRINITY.

Charlotte Y. M. C. A. is Defeated by Decisive Score—Another.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., Feb. 13.—In a one-sided but fast game of basketball Trinity defeated the strong Charlotte Y. M. C. A. team by the score of 54 to 12 in the college gymnasium. The game was intensely interesting from start to finish and was made more so because of the fact that the Charlotte team had already defeated the home team two fast games at Charlotte.

Trinity threw 26 goals and the visiting team six. This was the first game of the season and another will be played tomorrow night by the same teams.

SAW "BIG WHITE CHIEF."

Oklahoma Indians Were Visitors At White House.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Thunder Bull, Prairie Chief, Red Bird, Wolf Chief, Sage, Big Back and Seven other leaders of the Arapahoe and Cheyenne tribes of American Indians, called at the White House today to shake hands with the "Big White Chief." They were accompanied by Indian Commissioner Valentine. Their object in coming to Washington from their Oklahoma homes was to confer with the Commissioner in regard to proposed taxation of their lands.

New York, Feb. 13.—James Whitcomb Riley, of Indiana, and Nicholas Myrray Butler, of New York, have been elected members of the American Academy of Arts and Letters. Membership in this society is limited to a small number of the most conspicuous writers of America.

Samples of premiums to be given away during big sale are now on display in Gaylord's north window. **

Joyland is now open. Admission, 5c. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

IMPORTANT BILLS IN BOTH HOUSES

Number Also Heard and Reported by Committees of General Assembly

FOR A STATE TAX COMMISSION

Senator Graham Introduces a Measure—Interesting Debate of Ewart Anti-Trust Remedy—Pension Old Soldiers.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 13.—The Senate Committee on Propositions and Grievances decided today to report favorably Senator Cotten's bill prohibiting the use of coupons in cigarettes and tobacco packages. The committee has not yet agreed on a report of Senator Brown's bill prohibiting lockers for liquors in clubs.

The Hobgood bill to prevent the detention of women in questionable houses for debt or other cause gets a favorable report from the Senate Judiciary Committee, which decides also to report unfavorably, with a minority favorable report, the bill heretofore passed by the House putting the husband and wife on the same footing in suits for divorce for Biblical cause, one offense being ground for divorce by either party.

Senator Cotten's Torrens Land Title bill is referred to a sub-committee composed of Senators Pharr, Bassett and Martin, of Buncombe.

The House had a remarkable experience today with the Ewart resolution for a House Commission to investigate the conduct of trusts in North Carolina and the effectiveness of the present anti-trust law and its alleged "toothlessness" and report back to the next Assembly. The bill came up as the special order, was discussed quite spiritedly and at length by its introduced, who is the Republican leader on the floor of the House.

The sentiment was expressed by Representative Ray that the House should not waste time with a resolution which he said was without merit. A vote was called and showed 34 to 21 for the resolution. The vote was taken on the statement that members did not understand the issue up and again a resolution, or at least a favorable minority report for it, carried 37 to 30.

A spirited discussion followed that seemed to get before the majority a conception of issue that meant defeat and on final reading the resolution went to the table 51 to 26.

A bill by Koonce would increase the pension fund for old soldiers to $1,000,000.

A bill by Carr, of Duplin, would establish uniform hours of labor.

The House named February 16th to consider as a special order the bill for a million dollar State administration building.

The Ewart anti-trust bill was the special order today but he offered an important amendment that caused reference to commit.

Senator Barham presented the Education Committee bill for a State text book commission that follows the recommendation of the Superintendent of Public Instruction for a composite commission of schools during the next five-year period.

The Senate passed the Hicks bill prohibiting sawdust in any streams in North Carolina. All amendments exempting counties were voted down.

Considerable time was consumed in debating Senator Hobgood's bill to increase the salary of the Adjutant General from $1,600 to $2,000 and finally it was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Cobb's bill to establish Farm Life Schools in the State was made the special order for Wednesday.

Senator Graham introduced a bill authorizing the Governor to appoint a State Tax Commission to investigate and report to the next General Assembly a scheme for equalizing valuation of lands and other property, the assessment and collection of taxes and such further measures in regard to taxation as they deem proper for the best interests of the State.

Senator Bassett introduced a bill to provide for the better observance of Sunday as a day of rest by railway employes.

Senator Hobgood introduced a bill regulating licensing insurance agents in the State, and Senator Greene a bill to provide for the naval militia of the State.

A bill by Senator Hobgood regulating licensing insurance agents, provides that applicants shall show to the State Insurance Commissioner good moral character and no violation of any insurance laws.

Senator Bassett introduced a bill prohibiting railroad companies having any work done except such as is necessary to operate trains allowed by the law on the Sabbath. Violation is a misdemeanor, the penalty being $100. If any railroad discharges an employe or discriminates against him for refusing to work on Sunday he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined $100 and required to pay the employe $500.

A bill by Representative Carr, of Duplin, forbids a railroad steamship company or other common carrier working clerical employes more than

eight hours a day and if they work over eight hours they are to receive "pay and a half."

Mileage Book Regulation.

After voting down a motion to re-refer and also the Baggett Senate bill bearing on the same subject as a substitute, the House tonight after nearly three hours passed on second reading the Ewart bill reducing railroad fares to two cents on all trains which refuse to pull mileage. The vote on second reading stood 43 to 35. On objection of Dillard, of Cherokee, it went over for third reading.

Ray, of Macon, chairman of the Public Service Corporations Committee, insisted that the committee voted unanimously to report the bill unfavorable, insisting that to pass the bill would open all the old trouble which caused the extra session of the Legislature in 1908. Spainhour, of Burke, did not care who introduced the bill; he only knew Governor Kitchin recommended it in his message; that the bill does not put the rate at two cents.

The Senate—Forty-First Day.

President Newland called the Senate to order at 11 o'clock, Rev. T. W. O'Kelly, of the First Baptist church, offering prayer.

Petitions Presented.

Carpenter, of Gaston: From employes of Dallas cotton mills, asking for a ten-hour labor law in cotton mills.

Graham, of Orange: From citizens of Durham county, against near-beer; also amend the Kent near-beer bill as asked by druggists; also protest against incorporating Fearrington, Chatham county.

Johnson, of Duplin: Change the boundary line of Beulahville school district.

Bassett, of Edgecombe: Relative to the cotton weigher at Whitaker's.

Fisher, of Polk: From the Junior Order, asking for the establishment of a nomal and industrial school in Western North Carolina.

Bellamy, of Brunswick (by request): Protest of druggists of Wilmington against the Kent anti-near-beer bill.

Introduction of Bills.

Holden, of Franklin: Provide for good roads to Louisburg township, Franklin county; also fix compensation of the commissioners of Franklin.

Graham, of Orange: Authorize the Governor to appoint a State Tax Commission to report a scheme to the next General Assembly for equalizing the valuation of lands and other property, assessment and collection of taxes and such further measures in regard to taxation as they may deem proper for the best interests of the State.

Bassett, of Edgecombe: Authorize the commitment of certain class of persons to the State Hospital for the dangerous insane; also provide for better observance of Sunday as a day of rest by railroad employes; also aid in preventing spread of hog cholera in North Carolina.

Johnson, of Duplin: Amend law as to the boundary of Beulahville school district.

Thorne, of Nash: Relative to primary elections in Nash; also relative to the duties of standard keeper of Nash.

Boyden, of Rowan: Promote and encourage raising quail in Rowan.

Wagoner, of Alexander: For relief of J. L. Critcher, of Alleghany.

Hobgood of Guilford: Regulate licensing insurance agents in the State.

Pinnix, of Yadkin: Abolish office of standard keeper in Yadkin.

Martin, of Buncombe (by request): Abolish Asheville Auditorium Co.

Greene, of Craven: Provide for naval militia of State.

Carpenter, of Gaston: Provide for draining Long Creek, Gaston county.

Cobb, of Robeson: Enlarge Parkland school district, Robeson county.

Starbuck, of Forsyth: Improve roads of Forsyth; also provide for a commission form of government for Winston.

Bellamy, of Brunswick: Protect peanut growers of North Carolina.

Barham, of Wayne: Amend parts of public school laws; also relative to the State text book commission embodying the recommendations of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction so that the sub-committee of educators shall have concurrent vote with Council of State in the selection of books.

State Sawdust Bill Passed.

Senator Hicks' bill prohibiting the throwing of sawdust in the rivers and streams of North Carolina was taken up and amendments were offered by Senator Pinnix, excepting Yadkin; by Senator Barham, excepting Wayne, and by Senator Lemmon, exempting Anson; but all three amendments were voted down, and the bill, which, by an amendment of Senator Mashburn, is to become effective six months after ratification, passed second and third readings, and was ordered sent to the House.

Farm Life School Bill.

Senator Cobb's bill to establish State farm-life schools, was made special order for Wednesday, at 12 o'clock.

Action Deferred on Contract Bill.

The bill authorizing married women to contract as if unmarried was postponed until tomorrow.

Passed and Sent to House.

Provide for bond issue by Louisburg. Authorize bond issue by Tarboro to pave Main street. Improve public roads of Mt. Airy township. Amend charter of Elizabeth City. Amend charter of the Randolph and Cumberland Dailway.

Passed and Ordered Enrolled.

Authorize voters of Waynesville to ratify certain contracts. Authorize Rutherford county to levy special tax. Authorize Valleytown township, Cherokee county, to issue bonds. Enable Hertford graded school to issue bonds. Concerning undertakings by defendants in claim and delivery proceedings.

Adjutant General Salary Bill.

The bill to raise the salary of the Adjutant General from $1,600 to $2,000 per year was debated at length and finally re-referred on motion of Senator Lemmon to the Committee on Appropriations. The introducer, Senator Hobgood, urged the passage of the bill, and other Senators favoring it were Gardner, Hicks, Boyden, Johnson, Long, Lemmon and Green, but Senators Lemmon, Bassett, Barnes, Thorne and Brown insisted on re-referring and this was done. Senator Sigmon was opposed to raising the salary, contrasting it with the pitiful amount received by teachers of the State.

The Senate, at 1:55 adjourned until 11 o'clock Tuesday.

House—Forty-First Day.

Speaker Pro Tem Doughton convened the House today at 11 o'clock; prayer by Rev. Mr. O'Kelly, of the First Baptist church.

Petitions were sent forward by McWilliams from citizens of Hyde in opposition to the Fish Commission bill; by Wallace, from citizens of Hyde, Carteret and Dare counties, against the fish commission bill; by Koonce, from citizens of Onslow for $100,000 bond issue for roads, and by Cornwell, in favor of Torrens land title system for the State.

Among bills favorably reported from committees were: Provide legislative library; provide for the establishment of traveling libraries; Spainhour bill for $400,000 additional State appropriation for public schools.

New Bills Introduced.

Brown: Protect game in Stanly.

Koonce: Amend fish laws of Carteret; increase pensions of old soldiers to one million dollars.

Shipman: Increase salaries of commissioners of Columbus. Appoint trustees for Lake Waccamaw. Build a lawful fence between Bladen and Columbus counties.

Floyd: For good roads in Franklin.

Allred: Amend Waynes stock law.

Dillard, of Cherokee: Save costs in criminal cases. Validate the registration of certain deeds. Allow bond issue and special tax in Cherokee.

Spainhour: Amend the sub-contractor lien law.

Parham: Amend charter of Thomasville Baptist Orphanage.

Carr, of Durham: Promote more efficient municipal government (Two hundred copies ordered printed, as referred to at length elsewhere in this correspondence).

Carr, of Durham: Amend the law relating to practice of dentistry. Amend the chicken law of 1909.

Ramsey: Allow Madison to build a bridge.

Ramsey: Amend charter of Hot Springs.

Rabb: Amend road law of Hot Springs.

Taylor: Tax Hertford county dogs.

McWilliams: Amend law relative to liens on tugboats, gas and power boats.

Thorn: Incorporate Fress Will Baptist Seminary at Ayden.

Roberts: Allow Buncombe to issue refunding bonds. Allow Buncombe to work convicts outside county. Encourage early payment of taxes. Allow Buncombe commissioners to collect mileage.

Carr, of Duplin: Establish uniform hours of labor.

Mease: Amend charter of Canton.

Coxe, of Randolph: Amend charter of the North Carolina Farmers' Mutual Association.

McPhaul: Regulate labor on factories in Robeson.

Taylor, of Brunswick: Incorporate Bolivia. Regulate time of holding courts in Brunswick. Regulate drawing of juries in Brunswick. Establish office of standard keeper in Brunswick.

Battle: Amend Law of 1909 making appropriations for State institutions.

Stroup: Incorporate Loray Milsl, Gaston county.

State Administration Building.

The bill to provide a commission and one million dollars bonds for a fireproof State administration building was made a special order for February 18th, after the morning hour.

Messages came from the Governor, transmitting the report of the trustees of the University of North Carolina and urging favorable action as to additional clerical help in the Governor's office, and for increased allowance for expenses of Supreme and Superior Court judges.

The House voted down a motion by Representative Marshall for 500 copies of his bill for free text books to indigent children to be printed.

Ewart Measures Center of Stage.

The Ewart Anti-Trust bill coming up for special order, Mr. Ewart sent up an amendment that was considered material to the extent that insistence by Mr. Ray the bill and amendments go back to committee carried with the consent of the introducers.

The Ewart resolution for the House to appoint a commission to investigate the conduct of trusts in North Carolina came up as a special order also. There was unfavorable report on the resolution from the committee and a minority favorable report supported by Judge Ewart, who made a long speech in support of his measure. He reviewed legislation as to trusts during the past two sessions of the legislature, the charges made in some quarters that the act is "toothless" and that trusts are flagrantly oppressing the people. He read from a number of newspapers and quotations from some prominent Democrats to show the need for investigation in order that the next Legislature can act intelligently. The Raleigh morning paper was extolled and he treated the operation of the Texas Anti-Trust law in collecting over two millions fines out of 14 corporations proven to be operating there as trusts.

Representative Ray pronounced the Ewart resolution worthless, and further consideration of it a waste of time. The vote was called on the minority report and the vote in which a division was called showed 34 for and 21 against Ewart's resolution. The point was raised that the members did not realize what their vote meant, and the question was again put. This time the vote was 37 to 30 for the Ewart resolution.

The resolution was then declared to be on its final reading. Mr. Turlington declared that members of the House, he was sure, didn't understand the situation, and the effect of the Twart resolution. That it would in no way cure any trust evil that might exist, but would simply waste thousands of dollars from the State treasury and attain nothing of any possible value to the State.

Mr. Doughton called attention to the fact the Ewart resolution was only a House resolution, and Mr. Ewart sent up an amendment making it a joint resolution.

Mr. Turlington offered an amendment that the House Judiciary Committee be directed to prepare and present without delay an effective anti-trust bill. This was ruled out of order. Mr. Doughton further called attention to the fact that the resolution was without an enacting clause. This was offered as amendment by Mr. Ewart. Then there was a motion by Mr. Stroup, of Gaston, that the resolution and amendments lie on the table. This carried — 51 to 26, and the incident closed.

Bills Passed Final Reading.

Allow Warsaw Graded School district to issue bonds.

Allow Selman Graded School district to isseu bonds.

Levy special tax for Dillsboro schools.

Allow bonds by Elk Park.

Allow special school tax for Gaston county.

Provide for redemption of $550,000 bonds of State falling due in 1913, and take care of present deficit in State Treasury by short term notes of State treasurer until State revenue is sufficient to pay off the deficit.

The House at 1:30 took recess to 8 o'clock.

Democratic Caucus.

Friday night of this week a caucus of Democratic members of the Legislature will be held to determine upon what the Assembly will do with reference to redistricting the State in the matter of Congressional districts. This decision was reached tonight in conference of the joint committee on Congressional Districts.

WRECKAGE OFF HATTERAS.

Sited by Steamship City of Macon Yesterday.

New York, Feb. 13.—A wireless message from the steamship City of Macon bound from Boston for Savannah, off Hatteras tonight, reported sighting wreckage which might have been that of a large steamer. Seven miles southwest of the Diamond Shoals Lightship the City of Macon passed a large ship's spar 50 feet long, with considerable submerged wreckage attached. Four miles further on more large pieces of wreckage were sighted and these were believed by the captain of the Macon to be portions of the deck of some steamer. No clue to the identity of the wrecked vessel was obtainable.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 13.—The gasoline schooner Oshksh, was wrecked on the south spit of the Columbia river today, nine persons of the ten comprising the crew were lost.

New Spring silks on display at Rehder's White Sale. **

GOETHELS TELLS OF CANAL.

Addresses Members of Congress—Occasion Was Unique.

Washington, Feb. 13.—A scene with very few parallels in its history was offered in the House tonight by Colonel Goethels, of the corps of engineers of the United States Army and chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission, addressed members of Congress and presented a vivid verbal description supplemented by stereoptican and moving pictures of the mighty work that has been accomplished under his supervision upon the Isthmus of Panama.

Signal honor was done Colonel Goethels when on last Saturday, on motion of Representative Mann, of Illinois, arrangements were made for him to speak to the members of the House and Senate, who might wish to take advantage of the opportunity to gain knowledge from so authoritative a source of the progress of the canal work.

Crowded upon the floor of the chamber were embassies, representatives and senators, members of the President's cabinet and justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, while absolutely unique, it is said, in the history of that great forum, were the color and show offered by scores of the wives and daughters of members of both houses of Congress. Though every available space was utilized, seats were at a premium, and hundreds, unable to obtain cards of admission, were turned away.

For two hours Colonel Goethels spoke, and frequently he was applauded. The pictures, too, again drew applause as they showed the mighty accomplishments of the Americans, who are digging the great ditch.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Benjamin L. Jenks was arrested today and held under $500 fail for a hearing Tuesday on a charge of being a leader in the riotous clash with police a week ago when a score of Cornell students were injured. Jenks is a son of Prof. J. W. Jenks, who was appointed by Theodore Roosevelt while president as a member of the Immigration Commission.

Tomorrow at 9 A. M. the first Earthquake shock will be felt at Platt & Haar's. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

London, Feb. 13.—Edward, Prince of Wales, and his brother Prince Albert, have been attacked by the measles at the Naval College at Dartsmouth, where there is an epidemic of the disease. The condition of the princes causes no anxiety.

The character of their stock guarantees the character of Platt & Haar's Earthquake Sale. **

DID YOU EVER BUY A SAMPLE SHOE?

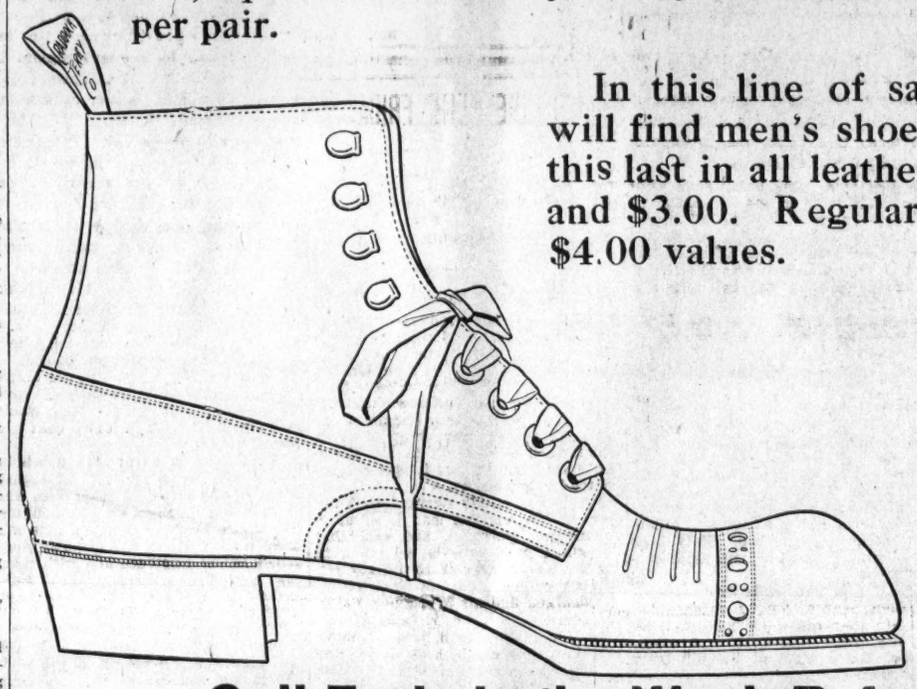
This question is directed to the ladies and gentlemen of Wilmington who buy fine shoes. We fear that you are prejudiced against sample shoes, because we sell them for so much less than you have been in the habit of paying for your shoes. But is this a good excuse for not looking at what we have to offer? These sample shoes are made first, then the stock shoes, therefore, there must be sample shoes just like the shoe you have on your feet, and if you can find these sample shoes you can buy them much cheaper than you bought the shoes you are wearing, and you will find that the sample shoe is a better shoe.

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The very latest New York model for ladies. You will find this model in our sample shoes in all leathers at $2.25, $2.50 and $2.75, equal to the shoes you buy elsewhere at $4 and $5 per pair.



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Bring your work to us. We will save you much money and endless troubles. Old tires and tubes bought.

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SWIFT M. BOATWRIGHT.

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COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Chairman Authorized to Draft Bill Providng for Election on Bond Issue for School Building—Other Matters.

The most important action of the County Board of Education in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon was the adoption of a resolution authorizing the chairman, J. O. Carr, Esq., to draft a bill to be submitted to the present General Assembly providing for an election to decide the question of issuing bonds to the amount of $175,000 for the purpose of ...ting school buildings in the county. ...while no improvements are contemplated during the next few months, ...med expedient to have a bill ... at this session of the Legislature. "Miss ... it may be decided to erect ... buildings before the next session ... General Assembly.

J. D. ... years ago a bill was passed ... Virginia legislature authorizing an election ... vote on the question of issuing ... Bonds for school buildings and ... such an election under the authority of this act has not been held, it was deemed advisable to have the election, when it is held, under a new bill. The following is the resolution:

"Resolved That the chairman of the Board of Education prepare a bill and request our representatives in the General Assembly to pass same, providing for an election on the question as to whether the county shall issue bonds in an amount not exceeding $175,000 for the purpose of building school houses in said county."

The time is not far distant when it will be necessary to erect new and modern brick buildings to take the place of the present wooden structures used by the Union and Hemenway schools and this may have to be done within the next two years. This matter has been talked of for some time and all realize that the buildings are inadequate and should be replaced with brick structures.

At the December meeting of the board the secretary was instructed to write a communication to the Street Commissioners asking that Ann, from Fifth to Sixth streets, passing both the High School and Union school, be paved immediately. The following is the reply received from the commission:

"At a meeting of the Commissioners of Streets of Wilmington, North Carolina, held January 13th, your letter of December 27th, 1910, was read and the clerk was instructed to reply to same, stating that this commission are perfectly willing to comply with your request and pave the streets as soon as the Sewerage Commission decides what they are going to do with the sewerage system."

The books of County Treasurer H. McL. Green as relates to the school fund were audited. The amount on hand in the general fund Feb. 1, was $12,400.30. Prof. Catlett, county superintendent of public instruction, reported that the purchaser of the old ...house at Greenville had paid ... purchase price, $60, and that the same had been paid into the treasury.

The meeting was presided over by Chairman Carr and in attendance were Mr. D. J. Fergus, member of the board; Prof. Catlett, superintendent, and Mr. H. McL. Green, county treasurer.

...E SERVICE LAST NIGHT.

Rev. Dr. H. F. Williams, Illustrated Lecture on Japan.

Completing a series of missionary services extending over a period of more than a week during which time several helpful and inspiring addresses were delivered in the interest of work on the foreign field, Rev. Dr. H. F. Williams, of Nashville, Tenn., gave an illustrated lecture at the First Presbyterian Church last night on Japan. The congregation was large and attentive. The remarks of Dr. Williams as well as the large number of stereopticon views shown were of great interest and as a result the congregation has a clearer conception of the efforts of the missionaries in Japan. By request Dr. Williams showed some views of Kiang Yin, China, where the First Presbyterian Church is concentrating its missionary efforts. Dr. Williams spoke in high praise of the work at this station and of the splendid work being done there by the First Presbyterian Church. He spoke of the James Sprunt Academy, which is now in course of construction and will be ready for occupancy before a great while. The institution will be for both boys and girls, separate buildings being erected. This is the gift of Mr. James Sprunt, of this city, whose name the institution bears.

Mr. Andrew J. Howell, assitant pastor of the church, presided at the service last night. Sunday morning and evening the pulpit of St. Andrew's church was filled by Dr. Williams and the First Presbyterian Church by Rev. Dr. Price. Both were heard by large congregations. Dr. Williams will leave today for Nashiville, Tenn., where he is editor of the Missionary Magazine for the Southern Presbyterian Church. The other noted visitors here for the missionary services last week have returned to their homes.

...nt Quirk Speaks Tonight.

...nt W. S. Quirk, secretary to ... White, of the Salvation Army, ... quarters in Atlanta, Ga., will ... this morning on an official visit ... J. ... post, in charge of Adju... Mrs. Williams. He will pro... accompanied by Staff Captain ..., an old Salvation Army worker. Adjutant Quirk will conduct services in the Salvation Army hall on Second street this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, and the public is invited to attend.

"Little Station Agent."
Beautiful Edison picture full of heart throbs. Grand Theatre today. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

Berkley Cambric, 12 1-2c per yard, C. E. Fore & Co. **

ENTERPRISING NEW CONCERN

Stockholders of Atlantic Paint & Varnish Works Arrange to Increase Business—Officers for Ensuing Year—Works.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Paint & Varnish Works, the enterprising paint manufacturing concern recently organized in this city and the only one of its kind in North Carolina, stock was subscribed to increase the business generally and officers were elected for the ensuing year.

The company was organized last August and through the energetic business methods of its promoters, the enterprise has met with success and it has been found necessary to increase the output. Arrangements were made at the meeting of the stockholders to install additional machinery and to make other improvements to meet the demand and to establish here an important manufacturing enterprise of the kind needed to develop the city and section.

The enterprise is located at 104 1-2 North Water street, near the corner of Princess, where paint and varnishes are manufactured, the present machinery having a capacity of 1,500 gallons of different products a day. The paints of the company are well known brands on the market throughout this section of the country and are successfully competing with the goods of large Northern paint houses. Salesmen of the company cover several surrounding States.

The officers re-elected at the meeting for the ensuing year are as follows: Platt W. Davis, president; Milton Calder, vice president; M. A. Curtis, secretary and treasurer. Mr. T. W. Pritchard, one of the organizers of the company, is the general manager, and is an expert of years of experience in mixing and compounding paints, oils, varnishes and other products. His work has been recognized everywhere as a chemist and he is a valuable man in the enterprise.

Some time ago the home enterprise closed a contract with the Tidewater Power Company to furnish paints and varnishes for its cars and for other purposes, this being one of the biggest contracts secured by the company, and in capturing the business was competing with large paint houses that also submitted close bids.

When the organization of the paint concern was being considered a proposition came from Charlotte to establish it there, but the promoters decided on Wilmington on account of the freight rate and port advantages in this city. Such home enterprises need encouragement and the Atlantic Paint and Varnish Works deserves all the success possible.

TRUCKERS GO FRIDAY.

Committee From E. C. T. and F. G. Association for General Assembly.

The committee recently appointed by authoirty of a resolution passed at the last annual meeting of the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Association, will leave for Raleigh on Friday of this week, to appear before the joint committee of agriculture of the North Carolina General Assembly with reference to the bill it is proposed to have the Legislature adopt at this session, taking the trucking organization in Eastern North Carolina under the wing of the State Agricultural Department. The committee is composed of representative growers from all over East Carolina, and they are backed by endorsements and petitions from truckers from all over the territory. It is expected that State Senator Brown will arrange for the hearing on this date, which was selected because it is expected by the end of the week that all the special orders will have been disposed of in the two Houses.

One Death From Smallpox.

The first death in this county in years from smallpox occurred Sunday, when Mary Catherine Sidbury, colored, 19 years old, succumbed to the disease at the pest house, where she was taken for treatment only a few days ago. Death, it is said, was due to lack of proper attention, the girl herself being solely responsible for this. When she was first discovered to have the disease she refused to go to the pest house, claiming that she could receive proper treatment at home. A visit to her home one day last week by an officer revealed the fact that she had not been properly cared for and was in a serious condition. She was then taken to the pest house and given attention, but her condition was such that she did not respond to the treatment, growing worse until she died Sunday. The interment took place yesterday in Oak Grove cemetery.

BLAKE-COWAN NUPTIALS.

Miss Ella Cowan Bride of Mr. Lucian H. Blake, of Cronly.

Of much interest to a number of friends in this city was the marriage Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock of Miss Ella Cowan, attractive young daughter of Mr. A. B. Cowan, and Mr. Lucian H. Blake, a well known and popular young man of Cronly. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's father, on Brunswick street, by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Blake received the felicitations and best wishes of many friends who witnessed the nuptial event. They will reside at Cronly. Both have many friends who will wish for them a long and happy life of wedded bliss.

Falls Victim to Thieves.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivaled for constipation, malaria, headache, dyspepsia. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's

"Crazy Apples."
Screamingly funny picture. Grand today. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

Many surprises await you at Platt & Haar's Earthquake Sale. **

IN RECORDER'S COURT

Large Number of Defendants Faced His Honor Yesterday Morning. Several for Carrying Concealed Weapons.

The usual large number of Monday defendants faced the Recorder in his court yesterday morning. While most of the defendants were charged with drunkenness or drunkenness and disorderly conduct, several answered to the more serious offense of carrying concealed weapons.

The case against Sam Moore, colored, charged with violating a city ordinance regulating hack fare to points within the city, was again continued, owing to the absence from the city of the prosecutor, Capt. C. R. Branch. Henderson Hayes, colored, an old offender, was fined $10 and costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. James Edwards, colored, got 30 days on the county roads for disorderly conduct. Moses Bryant, colored, was found guilty of carrying concealed weapons and the Recorder ordered a fine of $25 and costs be entered against him. In default of the amount he will go to the roads for three months. He had not arranged the amount yesterday afternoon. Rosa Jenkins and Lizzie Robinson, colored, were each fined $5 and costs for an affray. For carrying a concealed weapon Luke Smith, colored, paid a fine of $25 and costs, and was found not guilty of a charge of resisting an officer. James Brown, colored, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct was assessed $5 and costs.

L. V. Myers, M. K. Bowen and E. T. Burton, young white men, hailing from Burgaw, were arrested Sunday afternoon on the charge of drunkenness. A pistol was found on Burton and the additional charge of carrying a concealed weapon was preferred against him. The defendants were released yesterday morning on bonds and neither appeared in court, but were represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., who entered a plea of guilty for his clients. They were fined $5 each and costs for drunkenness and Burton was required to pay an additional fine of $20 and costs for carrying a concealed weapon. Myers and Bowen, who appeared to be drunker than the other of the trio, were lodged in the same cell, while Burton was given a separate cell adjoining, when they were locked up Sunday afternoon. Sunday night, shortly before 10 o'clock, Assistant Chief of Police Woollard, in passing down the corridor leading to the white cells, noticed some shavings at the door of the cell of Myers and Bowen. His suspicions aroused, the officer stopped and made an investigation, finding that two of the upright wooden bars of the cell door had been cut considerably. Myers and Bowen denied that they had attempted to cut their way out of prison and also denied having a knife. Officers searched the cell and the cell adjoining, occupied by Burton, also the prisoners, but could not find a knife. Not satisfied with the result of their search, feeling reasonably certain that the knife had been hid in one of three cells, the officers began to make a second and if possible more thorough inspection. A Star representative was present and while officers were making their second search of the cell of Myers and Bowen he noticed the knife, a small pearl handled knife, on a cross bar just inside the cell, on the side nearest to the cell occupied by Burton. Officers had already looked on this cross-bar and no knife was observed, and the presumption is that the knife had been passed from one cell to the other by the prisoners while the officers were making their search. The prisoners continued to deny any knowledge of the knife and of the attempt to cut the bars of the door in two. As there were two prisoners in the cell it would perhaps have been a hard matter to convict either of a charge, so no case was brought for attempting to break jail. Had the fellow doing the cutting concentrated his efforts on one bar and not cut the two about the same depth, he would have had one bar about two-thirds in two when interrupted by the officers. The point of the large blade of the knife used had been broken off and considerably "gapped", so it is hardly probable that much further progress toward escape would have been made unless he could have secured another knife.

Two Danish Steamers Here.

The two Danish steamers, Annette Furness, Capt. Larsen, and Jellinge, Capt. Andersen, which arrived late Saturday came up to the city yesterday. The Annette Furness, which visited this port a few months ago comes this time to the Virginia-Carolina, Chemical Co., and the Jellinge with cargo for Swift & Co, to be discharged at the Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Co., both with fertilizer material.

THIN FOLKS MADE FAT.

The Way Samose Works Its Wonders Guaranteed by J. Hicks Bunting.

More than half the readers of The Morning Star would give almost anything to be plump and rosy instead of thin and scrawny.

Physicians and chemists for years have studied the problem of making flesh forming food, but it is only within the last few months that a bright man discovered the prescription that taken with the daily meals give a positive increase in flesh. In fact, it was so certain in its action that a guarantee was attached to each package stating that if weight did not increase as a result of using it, the purchase price would be refunded.

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J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., has secured the agency in Wilmington for Samose and as the percentage of satisfactory results from the use of this prescription is so nearly one hundred per cent. they feel there is no risk in offering to refund the money if Samose does not do all that is claimed for it.

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LECTURE HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Mr. John Davey, "the Father of Tree Surgery," Has Been Secured by Civic Association—The Public Invited.

The general public will be much interested in the announcement made yesterday that Mr. John Davey, who is known as "the father of tree surgery," has been secured to deliver an illustrated lecture on trees and birds in the auditorium of the High School Friday evening of this week under the auspices of the Wilmington Civic League and the Junior Civic Improvement League, the latter being composed of school children. The lecture will begin at 8:30 o'clock and the public is not only cordially invited, but urged to attend. No admission will be charged and all will find a warm welcome.

Mr. Davey has delivered similar lectures throughout the South and has always been heard with interest and profit by his auditors. He recently visited Charlotte and Davidosn College and delivered lectures which are expected to bear much fruit. The people of this city should count themselves exceedingly fortunate in having the opportunity to hear such an authority on trees and birds, and it is believed that the auditorium will be crowded with those interested in the subjects which will be presented by the lecturer. The lecture will be illustrated with over 150 stereopticon views, which will add interest. Dr. Henry Louis Smith, the able president of Davidson College, has the following to say of Mr. Davey:

"Mr. John Davey, 'the Father of tree surgery,' delivered a lecture last evening before our townspeople and students on the preservation of trees and birds. The lecture was admirably illustrated by over 150 stereopticon views and was both an inspiration and a revelation to the large audience which gathered to hear the foremost specialist in this department in the United States. To me, personally, and apparently to the whole audience, the lecture was of absorbing interest, and it would be hard to estimate the permanent good results from the visit of Mr. Davey to Davidson. I heartily recommend him as a genuine missionary engaged in a great cause, and consider any college or community fortunate which has the privilege of listening to one of his inspiring addresses."

Sent to the Recorder's Court.

Florence Williams, alias Florence Green, colored, was given preliminary hearing before Justice Harriss yesterday morning on the charge of stealing a skirt and other garments from the home of Mrs. R. W. Montgomery, where she was employed as a servant. The negress was arrested Saturday afternoon by Constable Savage. Probable cause being found, the defendant was bound over to the Recorder's court and will be given hearing this morning. She went to jail in default of bond.

Life Saved at Death's Door.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Tex., as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and that I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years." Quick, safe, sure, it's the best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

Mr. Morgan.
Hear him sing "When Teddy Comes Marching Home." Grand Theatre today. **

Many surprises await you at Platt & Haar's Earthquake Sale. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

DEATH OF MR. J. B. FARRAR.

Well Known Citizen Passed Away at His Home Sunday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mr. J. B. Farrar, a well known and highly esteemed citizen of this county, who passed away Sunday afternoon at his residence at Winter Park Gardens, on the suburban car line, was held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Grace Methodist church, of which he was a member, conducted by the pastor, Rev. John C. Wooten, assisted by Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Bladen Street Methodist church. There were present a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and sympathizing friends, and the many floral tributes bore silent testimony to the high esteem in which Mr. Farrar was held by many friends. Following the service, the body was tenderly borne to Oakdale cemetery, where the interment took place. The pall-bearers were: Honorary—Mr. A. G. Hankins. Active—Messrs. W. E. Perdew, L. A. Bilbro, W. B. Cooper, B. C. Moore, Wm. Hankins and W. M. Cumming.

Mr. Farrar was born in Chatham county, this State, November 12th, 1842, making him, therefore, in the 89th year of his age at the time of his death. He fought valiantly as a member of Company D, 35th North Carolina Regiment, during the war between the States, and served in defense of the Cause until the close of the struggle, being paroled at Appomattox Court House. He moved to this city about 35 years ago and has since resided in this county. He was a member of Grace Methodist church, and he always manifested deep interest in the work of the organization. He is survived by his wife and three sons, these being Messrs. W. P., George T. and James H. Farrar, all of this city, who have the tenderest sympathy of a great many friends in their bereavement.

Mr. Farrar became ill one week ago last Sunday at his home at Winter Park Gardens. His ailment was soon diagnosed as pneumonia, and in spite of the attention of skilled physicisons and loved ones, he grew gradually worse. Saturday it was realized by loved ones that the end was drawing near and he very rapidly sank until the Winged Messenger came at 3:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

"THE CLIMAX."

Pleased Fairly Large Audience at Academy Last Night.

"The Climax," the Edward Locke play, was presented at the Academy of Music last night to a fairly large and well pleased audience. This is a return engagement, the attraction having been here last season, though at that time the audience was not large on account of disagreeable weather. Many of those who witnessed the production last season were present again last night, and those who saw it for the first time last night were equally as well pleased as the handful who saw it a year ago. Miss Von Hagen, the only female member of the small cast, has a charming voice and her songs pleased greatly. The other members of the cast essayed their respective roles in a pleasing manner, and the production, to repeat, pleased.

Cornet Solo.
"Song of the Soul," from "The Climax." Ma LaBarre, Grand Theatre today. **

Ten yards yard-wide bleaching for 49c at Rehder's White Sale. **

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MRS. KATHARINE GLAMEYER.

Good Woman Entered Into Rest Last Night at Home of Son-in-Law.

Many friends throughout the city will hear with painful sorrow of the death of Mrs. Katharine Glameyer, who passed peacefully away at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. J. G. L. Gieschen, corner Front and Red Cross streets, after a long and lingering illness at 9:15 o'clock last night, in the eightieth year of her age. Mrs. Glameyer was the widow of the late Friedich Glameyer, of Otterndoff, Land Hadeln, Germany, but had been for a long number of years a resident of Wilmington, where she was held in the highest esteem by all in the circle of her acquaintance. While the death was not wholly unexpected, it was a great shock to the family and friends.

Mrs. Glameyer is survived by her daughters, Mrs. L. Hanson, Mrs. J. C. Boesch, Mrs. H. Gieschen and a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren, of this city, while there also survives one sister, residing at Otterndorf, Mrs. Charlotte Glameyer. Of the grandchildren of this city are Misses Katharine and Augusta Gieschen, to whom she had been most tenderly devoted while living in the home. Miss Augusta Gieschen is a student at Elizabeth College in Charlotte, N. C., and has been telegraphed of the sad bereavement which has come to the family. She will arrive today to attend the funeral. Mrs. Glameyer will be missed by her large circle of friends and relatives and especially by the Misses Gieschen to whom she was always a most tender and faithful grandmother.

Mrs. Glameyer was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and was ever true and devoted to her church vows. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon from the house, thence to St. Paul's church and Oakdale cemetery at an hour to be announced later.

TILESTON TOPICS.

High School Magazine for the Quarter Has Just Been Issued.

The quarterly number of Tileston Topics, a magazine published by the students of the Wilmington High school, has just been issued and those who have seen a copy say that it is even more creditable than the numbers preceding. The magazine proper contains 24 pages and is gotten up in a most attractive manner. The table of contents for this number is as follows:

The Land of Heart's Desire (verse), Alice Sawyer, '12; The Eloquence, Edna LaNier, '12; Willie—Rex. (verse), A. B. O.; Editorial; Jokes, Edna LaNier; Locals, John Wells; Atuletics, L. Avon Blue; Exchanges, Alice Sawyer. The editorial and business staff of the magazine has previously been given in The Star.

Funeral of Mrs. Townley.

The funeral of Mrs. C. T. Townley, whose death occurred at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon, of pneumonia, was held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning from Mr. W. E. Yopp's funeral parlors, on Princess street, conducted by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist church, in the presence of a number of friends. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery, and the pallbearers were: Messrs. E. S. Hancock, Thos. Williams, T. C. Lewis and Sam Matthews.

NO OPIATES OR HARMFUL DRUGS
In Brown's Bronchial Troches.

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"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

TORPEDO BOAT CAME HERE.

Delong Was in Port Yesterday Morning—Bound to Charleston.

The torpedo boat Delong, bound from Newbern to Charleston, S. C., was in port yesterday and spent a few hours docked at the wharf of the Springer Coal Co. The torpedo boat came up in time to bring one of the men to catch the morning train. She cleared for Charleston about 1 o'clock.

The Delong was accompanied by the Tingey, also from Newbern, which remained near the bar. The latter is reported to be partially disabled by the breakdown of some of her machinery. It was understood that she was coming here for repairs, but had not arrived last night. The torpedo boats spent several days at Newbern, where they inspected the torpedo boat Dupont, which is stationed at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook Bereaved.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Westbrook, 611 Walnut street, will tenderly sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, James Charles, one year and seven months old, which occurred at 9 o'clock last night. The body will be taken on the 8:40 train this morning to Mount Williams cemetery, near Burgaw, where the interment will be. The funeral will be from Mount Williams Church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Best 10c yard-wide bleaching for 7 1-2 cents; 10 yards fine cambric for 89c at Rehder's White Sale. **

Meet me at Platt & Haar's. **

WOMEN MAY AVOID OPERATIONS

By taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The following letter from Mrs. Orville Rock will prove how unwise it is for women to submit to the dangers of a surgical operation when it may be avoided by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. **She was four weeks in the hospital and came home suffering worse than before.**

Here is her own statement.



Paw Paw, Mich.—"Two years ago I suffered very severely with a displacement. I could not be on my feet for a long time. My physician treated me for seven months without much relief and at last sent me to Ann Arbor for an operation. I was there four weeks and came home suffering worse than before. My mother advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I did. Today I am well and strong and do all my own housework. I owe my health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and advise my friends who are afflicted with any female complaint to try it."—Mrs. ORVILLE ROCK, R. R. No. 5, Paw Paw, Michigan.

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Tuesday, February 14, 1911.

JOIN THE BOOSTERS.

In another editorial we refer to the aggressive steps to be taken by the Chamber of Commeroe to do more effective work for Wilmington. Not only are the achievements and progress of the city to be emphasized, but the advantages and opportunities which we fully recognize here at home must be made known abroad. We should not be content to keep our "light hid under a bushel," and so far as that is concerned the Chamber is taking steps to make Wilmington known for the purpose of encouraging the establishment of industries and to attract to this splendid city and port those who may be seeking a location for manufacturing enterprises of all kinds.

The Chamber of Commerce has gone to work on new plans to attract capital to the city and to bring settlers to this hospitable and incomparable region, and we have no doubt every business man and citizen of Wilmington will be ready to applaud its action. Of course, there will be a general chorus of approval, and it is to be hoped the applause will ring throughout the city. However, approval and applause is not what is expected of the citizens of Wilmington. Their co-operation, and not their noise, is mostly needed.

It is the duty of every citizen to come to the aid of the Chamber of Commerce. Every live man should become either a member of the Chamber or of its active subsidiary, the Commercial Club. In fact, there is every reason why every man, young and old, it matters not what their employment, should join in this movement to do something for Wilmington. The opportunity to do so is ripe and the work is really attractive, promising and profitable. Don't leave it all to the Chamber of Commerce. It is every citizen's duty to do something for Wilmington, and the best way to do it is through an organized movement like that now on foot. Get a move on you and get in the game.

Senator Root is another.

Everybody in Wilmington is a local optimist.

The only kind of an insurgent that looks good to a standpatter is a Democratic insurgent.

A man who claims that he discovered something and can't prove it has no advantage over a common place prevaricator.

Danville, Va., claims to have had an earthquake lasting 30 seconds, last Satrday. Probably Danville felt herself taking a milk-shake.

It is announced that Harry Thaw has no chance to get out of the lunatic asylum. This is a strong intimation that Harry has no more money.

The State prohibitionists of Wisconsin are to hold their convention in Milwaukee, but the people of Milwaukee won't care so long as it is the season for Bock beer.

"Smile all the time," advises Mr. Andrew Carnegie. Of course, people can't smile all the time, but if Mr. Carnegie would let his leg be pulled they couldn't keep from smiling.

The suffragettes speak of their "enemies." If the suffragettes are pretty they will find themselves mistaken in their suspicion that they have enemies to amount to anything.

Ferdinand Piney Earle, once an artist and now dipping into poetry, writes: "I dread to look upon my many selves." His bunch of affinities dread it worse than he does.

WORKING FOR WILMINGTON.

A meeting of great importance to Wilmington will be held today at 12 M. at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, in furtherance of the determination of the Chamber to do more systematic and effective work for Wilmington. The meeting will be a joint gathering of the Executive Committee of the Chamber and of the Committee on Industrial and Business Enterprises, the Agricultural and Immigration Committee, and the Membership, Legislative and Advertising Committees. These committees were reappointed a few days ago, and their membership was announced in The Star on Sunday. Not a member of either committee should fail to attend today's meeting.

The only way a blacksmith can make anything out of the material he has in hand is to "strike while the iron's hot," and the only way we can make anything out of Wilmington is to join forces when the initiative is taken. We have talked ourselves into believing thoroughly in Wilmington and the Chamber of Commerce has taken the initiative towards working effectively for our city. The reorganization of the committees means that the Chamber of Commerce has determined to be an aggressive organization as well as a commercial and deliberative body. Always a public-spirited and progressive body, the Chamber of Commerce has lacked the flexibility that would enable it to move effectively along different lines. As a body, it has well defined lines upon which it has proceeded and it has done its work well and besides has accomplished much in a general way. Now the Chamber has determined to carry forward its definite work in a more thorough manner, and at the same time take steps to make its work more effective in a general way.

The specific work of the Chamber of Commerce is so well known that there is no use to speak of it here, so this article is to emphasize the plans of the Chamber to do some effective work for the progress of Wilmington. That plan is to distribute the work among committees and make them more active in the work assigned them. The idea is to have good, live, working committees, each being an active auxiliary to the main body through which the committee work will be put into effect. The purpose is to have the committees plan and the Chamber to execute. Naturally, it will be seen that with all the committees getting down to work they will furnish the grist for the big mill, so that there will be something doing when a meeting of the Chamber is called. In other words, there will be something to do, for each committee will furnish the work after it has been prepared for action by the body as a whole.

The Chamber has taken the right step this time, and as a matter of course the success of the movement will depend upon the committees. If they are alive and will get down to work in a practical way, results are bound to follow. Now is the time, therefore, for a new spirit to take possession of the members of the Chamber of Commerce, and especially for the members of the committees to get down to work in earnest. In order for the committees to fully comprehend the work in hand, and prepare for a co-operative movement, they have been notified to meet with the Executive Committee today at noon. We take it for granted all will be on hand, for all should thoroughly understand what is expected of them, and be prepared for work right now. Now is the time to do something for Wilmington.

NORTH CAROLINA IN CONGRESS.

There is general rejoicing throughout North Carolina that the State's representation in Congress will not be cut from 10 to 9, which would have been the case had not the House of Representatives amended the report of the House Committee on Census, which recommended that the House membership remain 391, instead of being increased in accordance with the increase of population throughout the country. However, the membership was increased to 443, which is on the ratio of a representative to every 211,887 of the population. The present number of 391 members is based on a ratio of 194,182 of population so that even with an increase of the House membership each member will represent 17,000 more people than is contained in the Congressional Districts as at present constituted.

The House had a lively debate over the committee report and the action of the House was pronounced in favor of increase of the House membership. Its action saved Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Ohio and Wisconsin from each losing a representative. As it it, none will lose a representative, while a few States will make some gains. The North Carolina representatives were active in the debate to preserve the North Carolina delegation. Representative Chas. R. Thomas, although, he is to retire after this term, took an active part in the debate, and presented arguments which the Hon. Champ Clark declared "cannot be answered." The Congressional Record, of February 9th, shows that Mr. Thomas was effective in the running debate and not only made a fight to retain North Carolina's delegation as present constituted but he presented logical reasons for the increase of the House membership to 433. He took a crrect position in favor of a larger House because it would be closer to the people under our representative government, and because it was right to increase the House membership in accordance with the growth of our population. Of course, he did not wish to see North Carolina's delegation cut down, but his argument was based on higher grounds. The Star is glad the House saw it that way, too.

Says the Greensboro Telegram: "President Taft is traveling in the interest of his proposed trade agreement with Canada." Standpatters will all look upon him as a Canadian drummer.

The Winter has about gone and we have not seen a flake of snow during the entire season. Wilmington has a monopoly on glorious sunshine during the Winter and ravishing breezes during the Summer.

A pessimist will hang around the stove and complain at the weather, while an optimist will make himself comfortable and arrange all his plans to do two days work in one just as soon as the sun begins to shine.

"Give new men a chance," pleads the Baltimore Sun. That would include every man in Wilmington, for the fine opportunities, happy surroundings and glorious climate here make everybody feel like a new man.

An "anti-treat law" pending in the Indiana Legislature, makes an exception to the case of one who buys another a drink to save his life. If the bill becomes a law, an Indiana man can be easily persuaded that his life needs saving.

Baltimore and Louisville both want to be the convention city next year when the Democrats meet to nominate the next President of the United States. By all means, Louisville should have the National convention —some other time. Baltimore probably has some more terrapins and canvass-back ducks and a town which knows how to get Democrats together like Baltimore did at the Jefferson jubilee has a great deal of logic on its side. No doubt Baltimore can work the trick again.

CURRENT COMMENT.

There are some people you never get thoroughly acquainted with until they owe you money.—Atchison Globe.

The announcement that Colonel Roosevelt is coming back out West is inexplicable. Nobody here has started an enchore.—Anaconda Standard.

If the Legislature would first provide a way of raising more money by taxation we might be able to see how it could afford a large bond issue. —Durham Herald.

One of the most touching things in modern history is the way the Steel Trust is worrying about how reciprocity is going to injure the American farmer.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Perhaps the best thing about it is the fact that after July South Carolina will cease to be the haven for hundreds of eloping children, who heretofore could marry in that State without a license.—Salisbury Post.

"'Language is inadequate to express the deepest emotions,' says the Albany Journal." Correct. Especially so when the telephone wires are crossed, or the "line's busy"—with a flirtation.—Richmond News Leader.

Speaker Cannon fears the evil consequences of a hasty ratification of the agreement with Canada; but this could not be nearly as mischievous as the slow and dellberate consideration and passage of the Payne-Aldrich bill.—Philadelphia Record.

The jury and others connected with the conviction of Allison, the Buncombe county murderer, are imploring the governor to grant him a pardon or a commutation of sentence. According to the evidence this man got no more than he deserved and these people are engaged in small business in trying to impose upon the governor. —Durham Herald.

In Newark Monday a number of cities, including Jersey City, will be represented at a conference to agree upon a bill for the commission form of government, that is to be presented to the Legislature for passage. This week in Bayonne about a thousand voters attended a meeting at which the subject of commission government was discussed, and 500 of them enrolled in a commission government association. These are but indications of the widespread interest in this form of meeting the breaking down of popular government in cities and the steady growth of the conviction that a complete change is necessary in methods of city administration. Already something over one hundred cities have voted favorably upon the adoption of the commission form of municipal government, and no city that has tried the plan has ever discarded it.—Jersey City Journal.

According to figures prepared by the coroner's office, 185 homicides occurred in this city in 1910. One hundred and eight persons were shot to death and practically all the other killings were due to the tolerance with which the public looks on the vicious habit of carrying concealed weapons. It is a melancholy fact that the restrictions placed on the sale and use of deadly weapons are practically nil in effect. Any purchaser with the price can arm himself with a revolver, the favorite tool of the criminal about to commit a burglary or other crime of violence, and of the paranoiac about to resent an imaginary grievance. Instead of compelling a buyer to show a license, present references of good character and otherwise establish his responsibility, the community permits him to equip himself and roam at large as a potential taker of life.—New York Tribune.

Chile owns practically all the nitrate of soda in the world. Small quantities have been found elsewhere, but in this region are the only deposits that can be operated at a profit. Most of the nitrate fields at one time belonged to Peru, but Chile appropriated them as indemnity after a disastrous war was waged between the two countries in 1880, in which Chile was victorious. You cannot meet a Peruvian anyhere today who does not swear vengeance against Chile for thus robbing his country of her greatest source of wealth. It was provided in the treaty that after ten years, and upon the payment of several millions of dollars, the question of sovereignty should be left to a vote of the people residing within the three provinces composing that disputes territory. Peru has never been able to pay the money, and Chile has systematically colonized the States, in order to make sure of the results in case a plebiscite should be demanded by Peru.—Nevin O. Winter, in the World Today.

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72-inch wide White All-Linen Table Damask; special $1.50 value; White Sale $1.19

Red Table Damask; White Sale 19c

$1.50 Linen Napkins; full size; White Sale $1.29

$2.00 All-Linen Napkins; full size; White Sale $1.69

$1.25 White Linen and Mercerized Table Napkins; White Sale 98c

50c. Hemmed Table Napkins; special; White Sale 38c

TOWELS.

Cotton Huck Towels; good size; each White Sale 7½c

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Pillow Cases; White Sale 10c

$1.50 White Bed Spreads; White Sale $1.29

WHITE LAWNS.

36-inch White Lawn, in short lengths; some 2 to 10 yards; 10c. values; price only, White Sale 6½c

40-inch Kilkenny Linen Suitings; white, crisp Linen Finish; price, White Sale 10c

27-inch White Madras; short lengths, 2 1-2 to 10 yard pieces; 10c. values, price, White Sale 8c

36-inch Flaxon; 19c. values, snowy white, crisp and new; White Sale 15c

36-inch Flaxon; 25c. values; beautiful, fine, sheer; price, White Sale 18c

40-inch White Lingerie Cloth; 15c. values; White Sale 10c

40-inch Mercerized Batiste; 25c. values; fine, sheer; White Sale 18c

Fine White Nainsook, 12 yards to box; Special value, $2.50, but price, per box, White Sale $1.98

15c. Linen Finish Duck, white, only, White Sale 12c

CRISP, SNOW WHITE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Perfectly tailored; perfect fit; honest merchandise.

Children's White Muslin Pants; White Sale price 10c

Children's White Muslin Skirts; White Sale price 10c

Women's Fine Muslin Pants and Corset Covers; many styles to select from; White Sale price 23c

Women's White Muslin Pants, Corset Covers, Skirts and Gowns, a great choice; White Sale 48c

Women's White Muslin Gowns and Skirts, Corsets and Pants; White Sale 98c

Women's White Muslin Gowns, beautifully trimmed, at $1.48

MAN-TAILORED WHITE WAISTS.

$1.25 Man-Tailored Waist; fine cambric; laundered cuffs and collar; White Sale 89c

$1.25 White Lawn Waist, trimmed Lace or Embroidered Front; White Sale 98c

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New White Waist, well made; big assortment; White Sale 49c

Linen Man-Tailored Waist; laundered cuffs and collars; White Sale $1.48

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RALEIGH'S NEW HOTEL.

Messrs. Ricks and Bland Talk of Plans for Capital City.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Feb. 13.—When Messrs Ricks and Bland were seen today with reference to the recent news story from Raleigh that they would enter the hotel business in the Capital City an account of which appeared in the State press, they declared that it was correct and for the first time they set a date for their opening there, declaring that it was their plan to have the new hotel fitted out and opened by the early Fall and when the State Fair was mentioned there was a reply, "Why sure, we will be open by that time." In the report in the Raleigh papers it is stated that the hotel will contain but 21 rooms with bath. The hotel will be modern in every particular containing every convenience known to the modern hotel. With an entering of the local hotel firm into the business in the capital city it assures that city of a first-class and up-to-date hotel, and one the like of which has long been needed. Their success in other cities is the best assurance that the traveling public will be taken care of in the capital.

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Fine White Linen, 23c yard at Rehder's White Sale. **

Thursday, the 16th, starts Gaylord's Big Premium Sale. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

TO ARRANGE SCHEDULE.

Club Owners and Officers of American League Meet Today.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Club owners and officers of the American Baseball Association will meet tomorrow to adopt the 1911 schedule, which was drafted by President Johnson several weeks ago.

According to President Johnson there is but little to demand attention outside of the schedule. The session will close with a banquet given by President Shibe, of the Philadelphia Club, in celebration of the victory over the Chicago National League Club in the world's championship series.

Some of the club owners, it is reported, have trades to offer, and it is probable that one or two deals will be made during the session.

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"Song of the Soul," from "The Climax." Ma LaBarre, Grand Theatre today. **

36-inch Long Cloth, 10c per yard, C. H. Fore & Co. **

REBELS BURNED TOWN.

Trou Completely Destroyed in Haiti. Serious Situation.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Feb. 13.—A courier, who has returned fr Trou reports that the town of Ouanamin has been completely burned by th revolutionists. After setting fir the town the revolutionists withdre to Fort Vallieres, with arms and su plies.

General Jean Gilles is now en am ed at Trou. Every man here w exception is under arms. The lates are caring for a num gees.

Tortured for 15 Years

by a cure-defying stoma that baffled doctors, and remedies he tried, John W of Moddersville, Mich., seem ed. He had to sell his farm up work. His neighbors can't live much longer." I ate distressed me," he w tried Electric Bitters, whic such wonders for me that I eat things I could not tal for years It's surely a grand remedy for ston ach trouble." Just as good for the liver and kidneys. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

Mr. Morgan.

Hear him sing "When Teddy Comes Marching Home." Grand Theatre today.

Samples of premiums to be given away during big sale are now on display in Gaylord's north window. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Miss Ann Bell Patteson, of Petersburg, Va., is the attractive guest of Mrs. E. J. Wood.

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The Alumnae Association of the State Normal College will meet at the home of Miss Lydia Yates, 110 North Fourth street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

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The Music Department of Sorosis will hold its regular monthly meeting in the club room at the Masonic Temple this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. A full attedance of members is urged.

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Thursday's Tampa, Fla., Tribune: "Miss Blanche Morton, of Wilmington, N .C., is the attractive and accomplished guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Clarke, Miss H. Easthorn, of Virginia, is also visiting Mrs. Clarke."

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The many friends of Mr. Marion B. Rahm, who has been quite sick for several weeks, will be delighted to know that he is now rapidly convalescing and was able to be down town for a short time yesterday afternoon.

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The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the church parlors. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to be present.

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Mr. Burritt S. Mills, formerly with the Hammer Lumber Co., of this city, but now residing in New York, stopped over in the city Sunday to visit friends. He was on his way south on business and his Wilmington friends were pleased to greet him.

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The local department of the Woman's Home Mission Society of Grace M. E. Church is planning an attractive entertainment for Thursday evening in the lecture room of the church. The programme will be announced later. The entertainment will be for the benefit of the carpet fund and a delightful time is assured all who attend.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Methodist Church, will hold a Valentine Social this evening at the residence of Mrs. E. F. Johnson, 10 North Ninth street. Refreshments will be served, the proceeds going to the benefit of the parsonage fund. The social will begin about 8 o'clock, and, it is hoped, will be largely attended.

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Much general interest is felt in the Colonial Tea to be given February 22nd at The Orton by Sorosis for the benefit of the civic and health work of the organization. At the last monthly meeting a neat little sum was voted to be given the local Red Cross Society toward its tuberculosis camp fund. The tea is in charge of Mrs. C. C. Brown, chairman of the ways and means committee. The affair promises to be one of the most delightful of the season and will doubtless be largely attended.

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Under the auspices of the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters, a delightful entertainment will be given in the auditorium of the Boys' Brigade armory Thursday evening of this week, when the charming and modern comedy, "The Model Lover," will be presented by local talent. The proceeds of the entertainment will be added to the district nurse fund, a most worthy object, and the patronage should be liberal. The admission will be only 50 cents and there will be no reserved seats.

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ANNOUNCEMENT RECEPTION GIVEN AT WHITEVILLE.

Whiteville, N. C., Feb. 13.—Last night Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McRackan, at their beautiful home in Vineland, gave an announcement reception in compliment of the coming nuptials of Mr. R. C. Powell and Miss Rose Earnhardt, whose marriage will take place on Tuesday, the 28th inst. Mrs. McRackan is a charming hostess and there never was a more delightful and enjoyable entertainment than this. The parlor was decorated with a profusion of floral hearts, and on the chandelier was a large paper heart made of rice.

The guests were received at the parlor door by Mrs. McRackan, assisted by Miss Lyda Russell, and ushered into the receiving room and thence into the sitting room, where punch was served. They then repaired to the parlor and were there received by Mrs. W. M. Earnhardt, who seated the guests. The following telegram was received by Mrs. W. R. McRackan: "To Mrs. W. R. McRackan, Miss Rose Earnhardt and Mr. R. C. Powell will be married Feb. 28th, 1911, at 4:30 P. M. (Signed) Dan Cupid."

During the excitement that followed, a large paper heart containing rice, and fastened to the chandelier, was cut by Miss Lucy Earnhardt, showering the bride-elect, who was seated directly beneath it, with its contents.

Next came a contest of finding the most words that can be framed from the names of the prospective bride and groom Earnhardt and Powell. The prize was won by Miss Mollie Belle Hollowell, who formed 112 words from these letters in 15 minutes. The prize was a beautiful Christy book.

Then came a search for cardboard hearts in the reception hall and sitting room, which proved to be quite exciting. The prize was won by Mrs. J. E. Powell. The prize was a small wicker trunk filled with rice and on a card attached thereto was the following verse:

"Don't lose this but keep with care,
To shower upon the happy pair."

Refreshments were then served, consisting of a dainty salad course and punch, by Misses Hazel McRackan Lucy Earnhardt, Lyda Russell and Mary Morrison.

The invited guests were Mesdames Seth L. Smith, A. Elmore Powell, T. S. Memory, Anne B. Sanderson, I. B. Tucker, W. Ellis McDaniel, E. M. Toon, W. M. Earnhardt, W. R. McRackan, H. L. Lon and G. J. Hufford; Misses Lucy Powell, Mollie B. Hollowell, Sue and Jane Powell, Maude Richardson, Elizabeth Toon, Hazel and Maggie McRackan, Mary L. Morrison, Lyda Russell, Lucy Earnhardt, Mary C. Pitts and Ethel Maultsby.

Mr. R. C. Powell is manager of the Vineland Dry Goods Company, and one of the most popular young men that Whiteville ever produced. Miss Rose Earnhardt is from Lenoir, N. C., and is one of the most popular teachers in the Whiteville High School. She is a lovely and accomplished young lady, and during her residence here has won the hearts of all.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. O. McKeithan, of Bolivia, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. C. Cashwell returned yesterday from a pleasure trip to Washington, D. C.

—Mr. E. B. McMillan, of Lumberton, spent Sunday in the city and was a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. J. F. Brown, of the mercantile firm of Searles & Brown, of Kerr, N. C., was attending to business in the city yesterday.

—Woodus Kellum, Esq., New Hanover county's Representative in the lower House of the General Assembly, spent Sunday and yesterday in the city.

—Mr. Andrew J. Yopp, formerly of this city, but lately of Oklahoma City, arrived in the city this week, and will spend a short time in Wilmington. He is now with Dr. J. J. McKanna, proprietor of the McKanna Sanitarium, in Reidsville, N. C., and has charge of the business in this State.

TURNS LEAVES OF MEMORY.

Unpublished Incidents About Lincoln's Political Career.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—New and what are believed to be hitherto unpublished incidents concerning the politics which gave Abraham Lincoln the Republican nomination for President the first time were told here today on the address before the Hamilton Club by Addison G. Proctor, of St. Joseph, Mich., who believes himself the only surviving member of the famous "split rail" convention.

Mr. Proctor gave to one man, Cassius M. Clay, of Kentucky, the credit for forcing the nomination of Lincoln out of a chaotic, disorganized opposition to the regular candidate for the nomination, William H. Seward, of New York.

"When the convention opened," said Mr. Proctor, "Mr. Seward's interests were in the hands of Thurlow Weed, and were well organized. The opposition of which Horace Greeley was the dominant figure, was absolutely without organization or community of desire.

"They were discussing matters in the old Briggs House, in Chicago when Mr. Clay and his mountain men from western Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky arrived.

"'We are on the eve of a great Civil war,' began Mr. Clay, 'but we of Kansas were used to strong words and smiled. The mountaineer looked at us sternly and continued, 'We know what your platform plans are, and I am here to say that if a candidate is nominated on that platform, the South will make an attempt to dissolve the Union.

"'It makes a great difference to you who you nominate,' thundered on the tall Kentuckian, 'and it makes a much more vital difference to us. Our homes and all our possessions are in peril. We demand of you a candidate who will inspire our courage and confidence.

"'We call upon you to nominate Abraham Lincoln, who knows us and understands our aspirations. Give us Lincoln and we will unite the strength of our Union sentiment with the Union army and bring success to your legions.'

"We saw things from a new angle. It was no longer a question of fighting slavery, but of saving the Union. Lincoln was nominated."

GOVERNOR FOSS SPEAKER.

Addressed Bankers in Boston—Favors Reciprocity.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 13.—"It is time for the financial powers of America to fall into step with the people, and to line-up with the sane and logical policy of progression. Money no longer dominates the conduct of public affairs in this country. The Senate is the only place left in which capital, or so much of it is still hostile to the people's will, has power to thwart that will. And the Senate is being made over into a popular body." So spoke Governor Eugene N. Foss before the Bank Officers Association, of Boton, at its annual dinner tonight.

The Governor advocated reciprocity with Canada as in line with moaern progress and as "the only measure which is fit to become the foundation of an entire federal policy for the future."

DISAGREE IN TENNESSEE.

Open Rupture Between Senate Majority and Governor.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 13.—There is an open rupture tonight between the Senate majority and Governor Hooper over the appointment of Prof. G. Dwyer, as State superintendent of schools. The appointment of Dyer was sent to the Senate this afternoon and after a two and a half hour executive session, it was unofficially learned that confirmation of the appointment had been refused. Dyer was one of the most active opponents or the regular Democracy in the judicial and November elections and it is said the governor had been repeatedly told by the Democratic leader that Dyer's appointment would not be confirmed.

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If you want money, you will have to start gathering it. Most people wait for a whole fortune to come at once. You probably have a fortune coming to you, but it will come a little at a time. If you keep spending it as it comes, of course you will never have your fortune. Start storing it. Open an account with this Bank today, and make it grow.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—By deed filed for record yesterday J. L. Comer transfers to Mrs. D. J. Fitchett, for $100 and other considerations, lot 27 block E. of Winter Park Heights.

—Thomas A. Smith, a well known negro drayage contractor, reported to the police yesterday morning that his office, on Nutt street, was entered Sunday night and a typewriter stolen.

—The annual meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club will be held at the Court House Monday evening, February 20th. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and other matters will be transacted.

—Two marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows: Mr. William J. Butler, of Wilmington, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Butler, of Phoenix, and Miss Sallie Pearl Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stephens, of Wilmington; Mr. Jeff Smith, of Bladen county, and Miss Margaret Ann Smith, of Wilmington.

—At Grace Methodist Church next Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. John C. Wooten, will preach the second of a series of special sermons to the children of the congregation. The first of these services, held about a month ago, was largely attended by the little folks and it is hoped the attendance will be even larger next Sunday.

—C. H. Watson, financial agent and manager of the Colored Reform School Association of North Carolina, with headquarters at Charlotte, has requested Chief of Police Williams to send him the names of all colored boys, between the ages of seven and 14, who were tried in the courts here during the year 1910. While no record is kept as to the ages of the offenders, a list of juvenile law breakers will probably be sent to the organization making the request.

THE E. M. F. "30" CAR.

Shipment Received Yesterday by Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr.

Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., the well known and hustling automobile dealer, yesterday received a shipment of the popular E. M. F. "30" automobiles, consisting of three five-passenger touring cars, two of which were sold before night, one to Mr. R. F. Warren and the other to Mr. E. T. Starkey, and negotiations are in progress for the sale of the third. The shipment yesterday was the first installment of a lot of six due to arrive this week for Mr. MacMillan. In the other lot expected this week are a Demi-tonneau and a roadster. These cars will also very likely be sold very rapidly. Mr. MacMillan is expecting another shipment of E. M. F. "30", one of the best known and most popular cars on the market, within 10 days. Mr. MacMillan's automobile business is located at No. 112 North Second street, but the cars are sold so rapidly that they remain on display but a short time. His auto business is rapidly increasing and every week he is placing a number of cars in this city and section.

TABLET TO JOS. MONTFORT.

Unveiled Yesterday at Halifax, N. C.—Prominent Speakers Attended.

Halifax, N. C., February 13.—On historic soil and with simple but impressive ceremonies, a handsome tablet in memory of Joseph Montfort, provincial grand master of Masons for America, was unveiled here today in the presence of the Governor of North Caroma, prominent Masons and citizens. Montfort held his commission from Henry Somerset, Duke of Beaufort, grand master of England. The unveiling was by Miss Sallie Long, sixth in lineal descent from Joseph Montfort. Among those who delivered patriotic and historical addresses were Governor W. W. Kitchin, former Lieutenant Governor Francis D. Winston, Hon. B. S. Royster, Richard N. Hackett, grand master of Masons; W. B. McKoy, deputy grand master; Raymond C. Dunn and J. C. McPherson, of Norwich, Conn. The exercises were followed by a banquet and ball tonight.

TRAGEDY NEAR PETERSBURG.

One Farmer Kills Another After Renewing Old Quarrel.

Petersburg, Va., Feb. 13.—Following some recent alleged unpleasantness between Lee Cousins, of Church road, Dinwiddie county, and Benjamin Clark, of Namozine, Amelia county, well-known farmers, Clark, on meeting Cousins on the public highway near the former's home Sunday afternoon, drew a revolver and shot Cousins three times. Two balls entered the abdomen, inflicting fatal injuries. The old quarrel, it is stated, was renewed when the men met. What started the trouble is not known here. No arrest has been made.

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AGENTS.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY AT LINDEN.

Little Boy Shoots His Brother's Head off—A Drowning.

Fayetteville, N. C., Feb. 13.—The Observer this afternoon has the following: "There was a terrible tragedy at the home of Mr. J. M. Honeysuckle, who lives in Linden, this county, Saturday, about noon. Mr. Honeysuckle's five-year-old son was playing with a shot gun, when the weapon exploded and the full charge struck the head of his six-year-old brother, who was sitting in his mother's lap. The little fellow's head was almost blown to pieces. The mother was not injured, strange to say.

"As Mr. Honeysuckle was on the point of boarding the train this morning with his child's body, which he was taking to Elease in Moore county, his old home, he was handed a telegram from his brother, Mr. Curtis Honeysuckle, who resides at Elease, informing him that his (Mr. Curtis Honeysuckle's) two-year-old child was drowned yesterday, and requesting him to hurry to Elease. So there will be a double funeral at Elease tomorrow, of these two brothers' two little children, whose tragic deaths occurred within two hours of each other."

BOY CRUSHTD TO DTATH.

Fearful Accident Occurred in Norfolk Foundry Yesterday.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 13.—While attempting to carry a wheelbarrow filled with coal up to the second story on an elevator, Albert Walker, 15 years old, was caught between the lift and the ceiling of the floor above and crushed to death this afternoon at S. R. White's foundry in this city. The boy struck his head against the elevator while attempting to place the wheel-barrow on it and was rendered unconscious. The elevator runs by steam, kept going up with the unconscious boy on it and when it reached the floor above he was horribly mangled.

WOULD CHANGE FRIEDMAN.

Was Purpose of Conference About Deadlock at Albany.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 13.—That the Democratic conference held last Wednesday to discuss the election of a United States Senator was called in the hope that Assemblyman Harold J. Friedman, of New York, one of the insurgents, would announce that he was ready to vote for William F. Sheehan, the organization candidate, was indicated in copies of alleged affidavits by Friedman and his father, Henry C. Friedman, received here today by Assemblyman Cuvillier, of New York.

Friedman's alleged affidavit recites efforts made to get him to vote for Sheehan, especially by Thomas E. Rush, Tammany leader of the district he represents. On the day before the conference Friedman says Rush visited him and the affidavit continues: "Deponent thereupon told Mr. Rush that he was prepared for vote for Mr. Sheehan and that he had arranged to make a statement at the conference called for the following morning, in which the views of Governor Dix would indicate the best policy to be pursued would be to break the deadlock and elect Sheehan."

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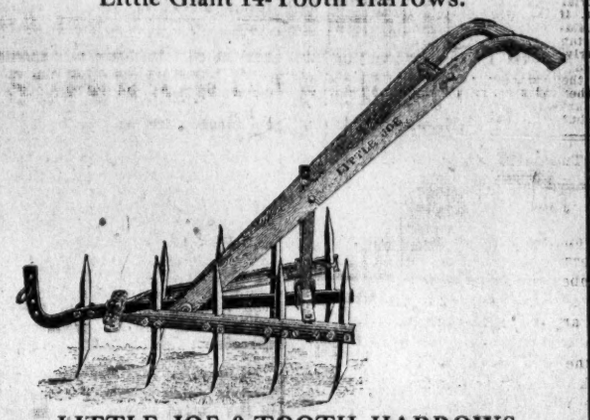
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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Feb. 14, 1911.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Monday, Feb. 13th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 37 degrees; 8 P. M. 53 degrees; maximum, 64 degrees; minimum, 37 degrees; mean, 50 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, .45 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Monday, 15.4 feet.

Weather Forecast.

Foo North Carolina — Increasing cloudiness, Tuesday, followed by rain in afternoon or night; Wednesday, rain by night; variable winds, becoming brisk south.

Port Calendar—February 13.

Sun Rises .....6:58 A. M.
Sun Sets .....5:54 P. M.
Day's Length .....10 hrs. 56 min.
High water at Southport 8:42 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 11:42 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

February 13, 1911.

STATIONS.	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest Today.	Temperature Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Asheville	clear	62	28	.0
Atlanta	clear	58	38	.0
Charleston	clear	62	44	.0
Charlotte	clear	62	42	.0
Chicago	cloudy	44	36	.0
Galveston	cloudy	72	62	.02
Jacksonville	clear	70	48	.0
New Orleans pt.	cloudy	76	60	.34
New York	cloudy	42	38	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	44	34	.0
Raleigh	clear	64	34	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	58	38	.0
Washington	clear	60	30	.0

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. M. Solky & Co.—Better Clothes.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Anniversary Sale.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Let us Suggest.
Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—Profitable Kind.

Business Locals.

For Sale—Truck Farm.
Lost—Fox Terrier Pup.
French—Lessons Given.
Mrs. Sykes—Braids, Etc.
W. Davis—Timber Auction.
Young Man—Position Wanted.
J. E. G. Brown—Wagon for Sale.
Wanted—Position by Young Man.
Wilmington Fish Co.—Dissolution.
For Rent—Large Rooms With Board.
Palace Market Co.—Give Us Your Orders.
W. R. Bordeaux—Engine and Boiler Wanted.
Boys' Brigade Armory—Amateur Performance.

HONDURAS REBELS STRONG.

Will Continue Fight If Peace Negotiations Fail—Features.

Puerto Cortez, Honduras, Feb. 8, via New Orleans, Feb. 13.—With Manuel Bonilla in control of the entire North Coast of Honduras, the revolutionists are prepared to carry the fight into the interior and to advance upon Tegucigalpa, the capital in the event the peace negotiations initiated by the United States fail.

An armistice went into effect today, both sides agreeing to a complete suspension of hostilities until the conclusion of the conference to be held aboard the United States gunboat, Tacoma, at this port, upon the arrival of representatives of President Davila and General Bonilla, president of the provisional government.

As the situation tsands, it appears that the fight at Ceiba two weeks ago in which the revolutionists won a sweeping vicitory was the decisive battle of the war.

Every native of Puerto Cortez appears to be a "Bonillista" and every foreigner here is a Bonilla sympathizer. Letters received here from the interior towns stated that Davila's adherents were winning recruits to their cause by informing ignorant natives that the present revolution really was an American invasion, being part of a plot to turn over the country and its rich undeveloped resources to foreigners.

General Lee Christmas landed 300 men from sloops and schooners yesterday and they marched triumphantly up the only street in town, shouting "Viva Bonilla."

The American and British bluejackets had a solid week of fun in patrolling this place and the way they fraternized was a source of great satisfaction to their commanding officers.

JEALOUSY CAUSED TRAGEDY.

Roanoke Man Killed Sweetheart and Took Own Life.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 13.—Driven to jealous desperation, J. W. Powell, of Buchanan, today killed his sweetheart, Miss Maud West, 18 years old, and then turned the shot gun on himself and ended his life.

Powell, 28 years old, called upon Miss West last night, and while at the home met another young man. He was heard to make threats as he was leaving.

While the young woman was on her way to a mail box to post a letter Powell, who was in hiding in the side of the road, jumped from a clump of bushes and opened fire on her with a shot gun. He emptied two loads in her body and then placed the weapon to his head and fired. When found both of them were dead. The young woman was a daughter of Chris West, farm manager for W. R. Beal. The West home is not far from where the killing occurred.

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Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form, and the most effectual form. For grown people and children 50c

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See the big feature film, "A Tip to Husbands." **

Fine White Linen, 23c yard at Rehder's White Sale. **

HOUSE MAY FAVOR TRADE AGREEMENT

(Concluded from Page One.)

Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson by former Governor Nahum J. Bachelder, of this city, national master of the National Grange, patrons of husbandry, and chairman of the Legislative Committee of that organization. The letter is a reply to the communication favoring the agreement sent by Secretary Wilson to Mr. Bachelder on February 9th. Mr. Bachelder declare that the agreement is unfair to the farmers of the United States who ask for nothing but a square deal—equal protection for all classes and interests and they will take nothing less."

The letter says in part:

"In reply to our statement that the pending bill was onesided and unfair to the farmers in that it makes no material reduction in duties on manufactured articles used by them, you attempted to defend the continuance of a high tariff for manufacturers along with free trade for the farmers, by claiming that it is the protected workers, who furnish the farmers with their chief market. We would respectfully submit that you are simply repeating the pet argument of the domestic manfacturer and that in asserting that the prosperity of the farmer depends on the workers in protected industries, you are claiming what is exactly the reverse of actual conditions. We cannot understand how at this late day you should be found repeating the stale and exploded theory that the farmers exist by the grace of protected manufactureres or anyone else on earth. The sole question before the American people is whether we shall have free trade in all farm products, and high protection for manufactured articles. We understand that you are a high protectionist. What kind of protection is it that would compel the farmer to pay from 45 to 65 per cent. duties on everything he buys and subject him to free trade competition in farm products which can be produced more cheaply in Canada than in this country?

"You know that the price of farm land is much lower in Canada than in the United States. You know that the wages of Canadian farm labor are much lower than we have to pay. You know that the Canadian farmer buys his manufactured articles cheaper, because his tariff duties on foreign goods is lower. You know that the farm lands of Canada are mostly virgin soil, requiring no fertilizers, while our lands have been cropped so long that we must use immense quantities of fertilizers. And yet, knowing all this, you would strike down the very moderate tariff averaging about 25 per cent., which they now receive, without giving them the benefit of any real reduction of duties on manufactures. We can only conclude that you have been deceived by the special interests which have cunningly plotted to allay the country-wide clamor for an honest revision of the tariff, making the farmer the scapegoat for the sins of the high protection system. Eles you would never oe found making such a statement as that. "Free barbed-wire fencing will be a boon to our farmers.'

"You know that the steel trust sold last year in Canada more than one hundred million pounds of wire, and that we bought no wire from Canada. Do you not know that this barbed wire provision is an attempt to fool the farmers by a transparent trick? Do you not know that Canada produces practically no wire, and that with the duty on Canadian wire abolished we would not import one pound?

"Will it help the farming industry to remove the slight protection now given it, and continue to give high protection to manufacturing industries?

"Surely you cannot believe for a minute that the way to encourage farming is to open our markets to the free admission of cheaper farm products?

"We beg to assure you that the farmers are not so easily deceived as many persons imagine. They know that their income and the value of their property is threatened by this legislation, and they are determined to defeat it."

GRISCOM STILL CONFIDENT.

Says He Hopes to See Dorothy Arnold Today—Details.

New York, Feb. 13.—Notwithstanding the personal advertisement inserted in a New York newspaper apparently by George S. Griscom, Jr., to the effect that he hoped to see Dorothy Arnold Tuesday, John W. Arnold her brother, said tonight the he had no idea she would be found.

"Dorothy is as much lost as ever," he said. A fact that strengthened the report that the Arnolds are still conducting a search for the girl, was the hurried return of one of their counsel, John S. Keith from Newtown, Pa., today. It was believed, he had come to handle some new and important phase of the case, but the Arnolds did not desire to make public the nature of his efforts.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—George Hackenschmidt tonight got the first fall from Charles Cutler with a toe and body hold in one hour, three minutes and four seconds. Americus and Fred Beell wrestled one hour without a fall and the match was called a draw.

Tomorrow at 9 A. M. the first Earthquake shock will be felt at Platt & Haar's. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 13.—Turpentine, firm, 87½. Sales, 195; receipts, 194; shipments, 251; stocks, 3,282.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 635; receipts, 1,481; shipments, 500; stocks, 63,677. Quote: B, 7.05; D, 7.10; E, 7.15; F, 7.15@7.25; G, 7.17½; H, 7.30; I, 7.35½; K, 7.87½; M, 7.92½; N, 7.97½; W G, 8.02½; W W, 8.07½.

Charleston, Feb. 13.—Turpentine, firm, 87½@88.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: A B C, 7.05; D, 7.07½; E, 7.10; F, 7.12½; G, 7.15; H, 7.22½; I, 7.32½; K, 7.87½; M, 7.92½; N, 7.97½; W G, 8.02½; W W, 8.07½.

MERE GUERILLA WARFARE.

Situation in Mexico As Seen In Washington.

Washington, Feb. 13.—In the opinion of State Department officials the revolutionary movement in Mexico has degenerated into a mere guerilla warfare, the so-called insurrectos being hopelessly divided, with each would-be leader acting on his own initiative and without any commanding figure around whom they may rally.

The main concern of the department at present, is that some of these irresponsible elements may fall into ways of mischief and be led into an infringement of the rights of American citizens which is one explanation of the gathering of a considerable number of United States troops along the western end of the boundary line between California and Arizona on one side and Mexico on the other.

These troops have double function to perform. In the first place if the disorderly elements south of the line attempt to work any harm to such American interests as are involved in the construction of the dyke who does govern positions of the waters of the Colorado river, the American trops may be sent across to guard the property. This of course, would only be done with the consent of the Mexican government. The second function of the troops is to execute the neutrality laws probably in a manner that has not yet occurred to the insurrectos. This involves not only the prevention of the organization on American soil of hostile expeditions against Mexico but also the "Internement" of the insurrectos who are driven across the line by the Mexican government troops and seek to return to Mexico to renew their campaign against the government. Whfle the neutrality laws do not specifically mention this "internement" as obligatory upon the United States, it is said at the State Department that such an obligation does exist under the international rules of war. In brief, these rules require that a defeated army or part of an army seeking refuge within the territory of a neutral power must be disarmed and detained until the close of hostilities.

Regarding the question which has been raised as to the right of sympathizers with the insurrectos to send food across the line, it is said at the State Department, that so long as this is done only in the case of individuals there can be no objection to the practice.

So far the State Department has received no official confirmation of the various reports of cruelties and atrocities perpetuated upon non-combatants by the Mexican Federal troops.

The United States government has taken up with Mexico the question of protecting the dyke which is being built along the Colorado river in Mexico to control that stream. Whether it will be necessary to send American troops into Mexico territory for this purpose has not yet been determined.

Both governments, it is said, are cooperating in an effort to see that the dyke is protected from all harm in connection with the resolution. The structure is an American undertaking and is being built with the consent of Mexico for the purpose of preventing floods in the Colorado river and consequent great damage in the Imperial Valley of $1,000,000 made by Congress at its last session. The dyke has progressed to such a point that it is now deflecting the course of the river, which is its purpose, and any interference at the present moment would be extremely dangerous.

American troops will be massed along the Mexican border opposite Mexicali which has been captured by the insurrectos, in order to see that the interests of the United States are protected and its neutrality preserved. The War Department has instructed General Bliss, commander of the department of California to protect adequately that part of the frontier.

DASTARDLY DEED.

Well Known White Lady Attacked by a Tramp at Fayetteville.

Fayetteville, N. C., Feb. 13.—The Observer this afternoon carries the following story: "About 10 o'clock Saturday night Mrs. W. H. McKoy, wife of the well known A. C. L. engineer, who was at home on Rowan street, by herself, heard some one knocking at the front door of her house, in a manner that struck her as peculiar. The knocking was repeated several times, each time louder and more insistent than the first. Finally Mrs. McKoy secured her husband's pistol and hiding it under her apron, opened the door. Before her stood a short, thick-set white man, with a little black moustache, wearing overalls and a cap. He said in a threatening tone that he came for something to eat. Mrs. McKoy told him she had nothing for him, and started to close the door. Before she could do so the man sprang at her and catching her by the throat, almost choked her breathless. Then throwing her from him he fled.

"Mrs. McKoy fired two shots after him, but with what effect is not known.

"Neighbors and police hurried to the scene, and several posses went in search of the villain, but without success.

"The police have notified the towns along the railroads, and as the man is apparently a professional railroad tramp, he will most likely be taken. He was in Dunn Thursday night, spending the night in the power house there and evidently came by rail to Fayetteville.

"The man left deep prints of his fingers on Mrs. McKoy's throat and a slight cut on the cheek was made by his finger nails.

"It was one of the most dastardly outrages ever perpetrated in this community, and we trust that no stone will be left untouched in efforts to effect the man's capture.

"Mrs. McKoy was not seriously hurt, but suffered severely from the shock."

Thursday, the 16th, starts Gaylord's Big Premium Sale. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

40-inch lawn, 10c per yard. C. H. Fore & Co. **

New Spring silks on display at Rehder's White Sale. **

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FOR SALE—Modern eight-room house, 520 So. 5th street; lot, 33x165. For terms, apply to J. H. Hewlett, care Star Office. fe14-tf

TIMBER AUCTION at St. Pauls, Robeson co., N. C., on C. & C. S. Ry., Feb. 21, 1911, Noon. Over two million feet splendid pine timber—long and short leaf. Highest cash bidder, W. Davis. fe14-8t*

AMATEUR PERFORMANCE—Boys' Brigade Armory, Thursday evening, 8:30 o'clock. Auspices of the Ministering Circle, King's Daughters; benefit of District nurse. Admission, 50 cents. fe14-3t*

TWENTY-FIVE acre truck farm on trolley line for sale; cash or part cash. Address P. O. Box 603, City. fe14-1t*

WANTED—Second-hand stationary engine and boiler, about 40-horse, in good condition. Address, giving lowest cash price, W. R. Bordeaux, New Berlin, N. C. fe14-1t*

YOUNG MAN with 3 years' office experience, desires position, where application and energy are appreciated. P. O. Box 704, Wilmington, N. C fe14-1t*

WANTED—Position by young man of good habits and experience in grocery business. Willing to work, and will accept anything where there is chance for promotion. Address "B. B." care Star office. fe14-1t*

WAGON FOR SALE—To satisfy lien for repairs and expenses, I will sell one open wagon at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at my place of business, No. 112 South Second street, Wilmington, N. C., at 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, February 28th, 1911. This 13th day of February, 1911. J. E. G. Brown. fe14-2w

FOR SALE—Large size Mosler Safe. Inside measurements, 18x40x48, weighing about 6,000 to 7,000 lbs. Navassa Guano Co., Wilmington, N. C. fe14-3t

MRS. SYKES will, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, only, make Switches 50c, puffs, 4 for 50c., from cut hair or combings. 'Phone 1070; 718 Dock st. fe14-1t*

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—The co-partnership heretofore existing between M. H. Croom and C. W. Futch, known as the "Wilmington Fish Co.," having been dissolved by C. W. Futch purchasing all the interest of M. H. Croom in said business, this is to notify all persons that C. W. Futch will continue the business under the same name at the same place of business, pay all bills and collect all moneys due said firm. This 7th February, 1911. C. W. Futch, M. H. Croom. fe14-1t

FOR RENT—Large rooms, suitable for gentlemen or couple, by private family; central location; electric lights, telephone, modern bath; finest table. References requested. "Rent," care Star. fe14-1t*

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GIVE US your orders today. We have complete line of best of fresh meats, fruits and vegetables in city. Gas range to be given away free. Come in and see. Palace Market Co., 'Phone No. 72. fe14-1t

LOST—Sunday afternoon, 4 months old Fox Terrier puppy; white with black and tan head; white line between ears; partly black on neck. Reward for information leading to return to 319 South Front street. fe14-1t*

WANTED—Information concerning one Dr. McDonald, who was here and at Southport about 15 years ago. Any information will be thankfully received by J. D. Sidbury, Town Creek, Brunswick county, N. C. Box 21. ja29-sn4t*

HOUSE OR 4 OR 5 ROOMS wanted in good section of city by refined family of six—two adults; must have bath and modern conveniences. Address W. H. Lassell, care Star, stating price, for permanent arrangement. fe9-3t

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Four-acre country place on Castle Hayne road; handsome five-room bungalow; large barn and stables; chicken yard and house; excellent water in yard and house. Apply to P. O. Box 494, or 'phone 576. fe14-tf

ORDERS FOR Mr. Williams' book "In Four Continents" may be left with R. C. DeRosset, C. W. Yates & Co., Rev. J. M. Wells or Andrew J. Howell. The price is 50 cents cloth, 35 cents paper. fe 15-1t.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Notice is hereby given that all bills against the Wilmington Light Infantry must be rendered to Mr. P. L. Cantwell, Sec., care Tidewater Power Co. The company will not be responsible for any purchase without a written order signed by a member of the Armory and Finance Committee. E. A. Metts, Chairman. fe10-3t

FOR SALE—One three-drum Lidgewood skidder; one 80-H. P. Liddell boiler; one 60-H. P. Vogel boiler. Address W. L. Rankin Lumber Co., Mars Bluff, S. C. ja28-1mo

THE HOLLAND NURSERIES, Castle Hayne, N. C. Privet Hedging, shade and fruit trees, roses, etc. fe2-1m*

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WILMINGTON SANITARIUM, Front and Castle streets, a modern institution for the treatment of medical and surgical diseases. Especially equipped for the scientific treatment of asthmatic, catarrhal, kidney, genito-urinary, rectal, rheumatic and skin diseases. Massage, Turkish vapor and hot air baths. Mrs. Eliza McDuffie, superintendent; Charles T. Harper, M. D., medical director. no30-tf

WANTED—Young single man or boy, with some experience in grocery store, country boy preferred; no dude or cigarette smoker need apply. Address "J.," care Star Office. fe9-6t

WANTED—Men to work at logging camps at Makatoka, N. C., and mills at Bolton, N. C.; also can use ten carpenters. Waccamaw Lumber Co., Bolton, N. C. fe12-6t

DON'T FORGET that there is a sash, door and blind factory at 214 South Front street. Brunswick Wood & Lumber Co.; 'Phone 645. fe11-1mo

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RURAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSociation will open the Sixteenth Series on Saturday, February 4th. The easiest and most systematic way to save money to buy a Home. R. C. DeRossett, President; James Owen Reilly, Secretary and Treasurer. ja15-tf

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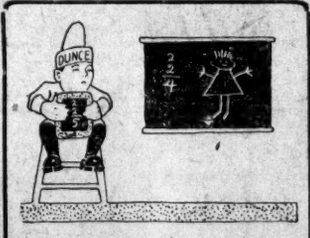
Regular monthly communication this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock, for work pertaining to the business of the Lodge.

All members and visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

By order of the W. M.

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79 Bags E. R. Potatoes.
471 Bags Field Peas.
379 Bags White Spring Oats.
161 Bags N. C. Rust Proof Oats.
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76 Barrels Small Mullets.
11 Bags Seed Rye.
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MUCH INTEREST IN CASE

Many People Will Attend Trial at Whiteville Today—Much Speculation is Rife—Drunken Negro at Hallsboro.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Feb. 13.—A number of persons are calling at the jail to see Mrs. Hayes, who killed young Floyd, these being mostly prompted by curiosity, but others through sympathy. During the day she remains with her baby downstairs with Jailor Spivey's family, the Columbus jailor being her cousin, but at night she is locked up in a cell the same as other prisoners. Mrs. Hayes does not seem the least uneasy or troubled, and bears the same reticence to talk and apparent nerve as when first arrested. Several little gifts have been sent her and the baby by citizens of the town and county.

Public sentiment is divided between the State and the defense. It is the general prediction that Mrs. Hayes will never be convicted, and it is not believed that the charge of conspiracy can be proven. Great interest is manifested in the trial to come off tomorrow, and a large number of persons are expected in Whiteville. Col. Schulken, counsel for the defense, stated to the Star's correspondent that the case would certainly be tried tomorrow, as they were prepared. A number of daily papers will have reporters here, among them the Charleston News and Courier.

The friends of Mrs. Hayes say it will be shown that the Floyds are not the peaceful and moral people they are painted to be.

On the other hand, it is stated by friends of the deceased young man that Hayes had written to Floyd to come to his house; that an elderly lady in Conway, whom Floyd had been treating for a cancerous growth, had written him to come to Conway to give her another treatment. She received a reply from him during the week that he would be in Tabor at the home of "his friend," Hayes, on Saturday, and that he was going to treat Mrs. Hayes. He also wrote a sister that he would be in Tabor Saturday and would spend Sunday at his old home. When Floyd was found he was lying on the front porch of the house. He still had on his overcoat and his hat was lying on the floor just inside the house. It is asked why did he go into the house with his hat and overcoat on, intending to spend the night, and before taking them off either, offer a gross insult to a lady friend?

The whole tragedy is wrapped in mystery, and the general prediction is that it will never be solved. The burden of proof to show conspiracy rests with the State, and the only witness to the killing is Mrs. Floyd.

A negro outlaw was landed in jail here last Saturday. A crowd of drunken blacks entered the store belonging to the shingle mill company at Hallsboro, located in what is known as the Elbow section of our county, and proceeded to curse out the establishment. Officers were sent for and all succeeded in getting away except one, but it is thought other arrests will be made. The blacks were drunk. Moonshine liquor has been circulating quite freely in that section, and this is the cause of the trouble.

BASEBALL AT OAK RIDGE.

Spring Schedule is Announced—Prospects for the Season.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Oak Ridge, N. C., Feb. 13.—At this writing the chances for a winning baseball team again this year look most favorable. The number of regulars and substitutes from last year's team, last year's second team men, and a number of new faces make a likely looking squad from which to pick. The following are probably the most promising candidates: For pitchers, Craven, Lewellyn, Williams and Whitley; catchers, Daniel and Page; infielders, Abernathy, Moore, Covington, Clapp, Howell, Morris and Brittain; outfielders, Dunning, Estes, Clayton, Lutterloh, Thompson and Graham. The schedule is given below:

March 17—University at Chapel Hill.
March 18—Mebane at Burlington.
March 25—Whitsett at Oak Ridge.
March 30—Atlantic Christian College at Oak Ridge.
April 1—Open.
April 3—V. P. I. at Blacksburg, Va.
April 4—V. P. I. at Blacksburg.
April 5—Roanoke College at Salem, Va.
April 11—Mt. Pleasant Institute, at Oak Ridge.
April 17—Elon College, at Burlington.
April 20—Davidson College, at Davidson.
April 21.—Mt. Pleasant Institute at Mt. Pleasant.
April 22—St. Mary's College, at Belmont.
May 2—V. P. I. at Oak Ridge.

Wife Got Tip Top Advice.

"My wife wanted me to take our boy to the doctor to cure an ugly boil," writes D. Frankel, of Stroud, Okla. "I said, 'put Bucklen's Arnica Salve on it.' She did so, and it cured the boil in a short time." Quickest healer of burns, scalds, cuts, corns, bruises, sprains, swellings. Best pile cure on earth. Try it. Only 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

C. H. Fore & Co., are sole agents for Redfern & Warner's Corsets. **

Were you in the crowd yesterday at Rehder's White Sale? **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

COL. CROWDER'S PROMOTION.

Will Become Judge Advocate General or Army Today.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Col. Enoch H. Crowder tomorrow will become Judge Advocate General of the army, with the rank of brigadier general. He will succeed General George B. Davis, who will retire on account of having reached the statutory age of 64 years. Secretary of War Dickinson today paid General Davis a rare tribute in an autograph letter upon his retirement.

"I cannot see our association severed," said the Secretary, without expressing my regret and thanking you for the fidelity and ability with which you have aided me in the discharge of the duties of my office. You carry with you into your retirement the consciousness, justified by the testimony of all who know your work, of duty ably and faithfully performed."

Col. Crowder, who becomes judge advocate general, has had an eventful career. One of his most important assignments was in Cuba in 1908, during the insurrection in the island. He was detailed by the United States for duty in the provisional government of Cuba as legal adviser and in this capacity was of material assistance in re-writing Cuba's code of law and re-establishing the judiciary.

The new head of the law department of the army was born in Missouri, April 11, 1859, and was graduated from the Military Academy in June, 1881. He reached the grade of colonel in 1903.

During the way with Spain and the Philippines insurrection he served in the volunteer army and became a brigadier general of volunteers. During the Russo-Japanese war he was appointed an observer with the Japanese army being with the first army of General Kuroki from May, 1904 to April, 1905. He was a delegate to the Pan-American Conference at Buenos Ayres last March and special minister of the United States to Chile on the occasion of that country's centenary in June last.

AFTER THE HOOKWORM.

Rockefeller Commission Will Hold Three-Day Session in Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 12.—How to eradicate the hookworm, which has been found prevalent in 138 of the 145 counties in Georgia, will be one of the important questions to be considered by the conference of the Rockefeller Sanitary Commission, which will hold a three-days' session here beginning Tuesday.

The members of the commission who will be present include: Wickliffe Rose, administration secretary; Wallace Lund, Dr. A. W. Freeman, Richmond; Dr. John Ferrell, Raleigh; Dr. J. La Bruce Ward, Columbus, O.,; Dr. Olin West, Nashville; Dr. Morgan Smith, Little Rock; Dr. Sidney D. Porter, New Orleans; Dr. W. S. Leathers, University of Mississippi, Oxford, and Dr. A. G. Fort, Atlanta, Ga.

Reports will be made to the conference that the hookworm is not confined to the Southern States, but is prevalent as well in New York, Washington and other Northern cities, as borne out by statistics already compiled.

ALABAMIANS LYNCH NEGRO.

Attacked Prominent Woman of Eufaula and is Strung Up.

Eufaula, Ala., Feb. 12.—Iver Peterson, a negro about 18 years old, was lynched early this morning by twenty of the most prominent citizens of Eufaula. His body was strung up to a limb and riddled with bullets. Last night about 7 o'clock as Mrs. E. A. Hudson, a prominent woman of Eufaula, was going from a neighbor's house to her home, a negro who was identified as Peterson, grabbed her and attempted to assault her. Her screams brought several of her neighbors to the scene in a few moments and the negro fled.

Peterson was captured this morning at 8 o'clock at his father's house just in the rear of the home of Congressman Henry D. Clayton. Deputy Beverly, accompanied by a Mr. Spencer, in the latter's automobile, started with the negro for Clayton, the county seat, fearing that a lynching might result if the prisoner was left in Eufaula. At the eighth mile post from Eufaula on the Clayton road, the automobile was halted by a mob of citizens and the negro quickly rushed into the woods nearby where he was lynched.

MET DEATH FROM GAS.

Verdict of Chemist In Mysterious Case at Cumberland, Md.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 13.—That Charles E. Twigg and Grace Elesser, the young couple found dead in the parlor of the Elesser home on December last, the eve of their wedding day came to their end from carbon monoxide (coal gas) poisoning was the conclusion of the Washington and Baltimore chemists, who tested the blood of the two victims. State Attorney Robb announced the result of the chemist's analysis today.

Heretofore the authorities have maintained that the pair met their death by cyanide of potassium, the coroner's jury returning a verdict to that effect.

Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Feb. 13.—J. Gordon Douglas, of New York, defeated Harold F. McCormack, of the Chicago University Club in the final round of the National Amateur Racquet Championship today. Douglas won three out of the four games played with a total of 48 aces to 46. The scores were 15-8, 0-15, 18-13, 15-10. One of the largest crowds that has ever witnessed a match here was present.

REARERS for rehder READERS . . . .
Were you in the crowd yesterday at Rehder's White Sale? **

DOUBLE TRACKING COAST LINE

J. E. Porter & Co., Has Been Awarded Contract for Extension Construction Work on Main Line—Convicts.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Weldon, N. C., Feb. 13.—As has been previously announced from this place, the Atlantic Coast Line is pushing rapidly forward with its extensive construction work in this section. Work will be commenced on the new union station here in about three weeks and the same will be completed by August 1st.

The largest work ever undertaken in a railroad way in this section has just been inaugurated by Messrs. J. E. Porter & Co., who have secured the contract from the Atlantic Coast Line for about 35 miles of second track between Battleboro and Pleasant Hill. The double track is to be laid between Selma and Pleasant Hill, seven miles, and 28 miles south to Weldon. The contract will aggregate about $175,000 and includes grading, the track work and all mason work, concrete piers, bridges, etc., the railroad furnishing the ties and rail. The firm has 150 convicts under lease from the State and expects to complete the work by December 31st of this year. Mr. Porter, head of the new contracting firm, is a young North Carolina engineer who has risen rapidly in his chosen profession. Formerly of the firm of Wade & Morrison, he is now at the head of the firm for this large work and is pushing it to rapid headway. This double tracking will place the Coast Line in excellent shape for handling the large traffic that is constantly developing all over the system.

HOME RULE UP AGAIN.

Reconstruction of Administration Favored—Proposals.

London, Feb. 13.—"The entire reconstruction of the administration" was Augustine Birrell's description of the government's proposals for home rule given in the House of Commons today.

The chief secretary for Ireland was replying to a question regarding the retention of the vice presidency of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland by Thomas W. Russell, although he has lost his seat in Parliament. The Secretary attributed the situation "to the probability at a not remote date, of a reconstruction of the Irish administration."

Vigorous nationalist cheers greeted the promise, which was taken to indicate the possibility of Irish legislation being enacted earlier than has been anticipated.

RACE FEELING RAMPANT .

Northern Professor Says Trouble Will Result Unless It is Stopped .

Boston, Mass., February 11.—"Race feeling is not only tremendously greater than it was ten years ago, but it is increasing in every way, unless you stop it—and it is to your advantage to stop it ,it means trouble in the United States and in other parts of the world." Professor W. Burghart Du Bois, of Atlanta University, speaking before the 20th Century Club today, on "The Individual Negro and Society."

Continuing, the speaker said:

"You do not realize how far this discrimination goes in the Northern cities. In the past ten years there has been scarcely a voice raised in the United States for the treatment of negroes as men. But there have been apologies—crafty apologies—for treating them otherwise. On this question, our leading men have no morals."

REV. T. W. CHAMBLISS.

Offers His Resignation as Pastor of Wadesboro Baptist Church.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., Feb. 13.—Rev. T. W. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist Church, offered his resignation yesterday morning much to the surprise of the Church and community. During the pastorate of Mr. Chambliss the Wadesboro Church has received 192 members and has raised over $17,000 for all purposes. The building was remodeled and many improvements made during the past year. Mr. Chambliss has not announced his plans and the resignation has not been acted on by the Church.

GROWING CHILDREN.

play hard and work hard at school, and rapid growth uses up an enormous amount of energy and vitality that needs replacing.

This accounts for the many delicate, sickly and ailing children we see on our streets.

We wish the mother of every such child would come to our store for a bottle of Vinol, as it is a delicious cod liver and iron tonic which children love to take, and it is easily assimilated.

A grateful mother in Durand, Mich., says her little girl was weak, pale, and had no appetite. She gave her Vinol and she began to thrive at once—and she gained rapidly in weight, color and strength. (Name furnished on request.)

Vinol builds up good healthy flesh and muscle tissue and makes thin little limbs round and plump.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that if it does not benefit your child your money will be returned. Robt. R. Bellamy, Druggist, Wilmington, N. C.

For new Spring goods call on C. H. Fore & Co. **

LAMAR SUIT AT MACON.

Executors Defending Action In Which Big Sum is Involved.

Macon, Ga., Feb. 13.—Executors of the estate of the late H. J. Lamar, of Macon, are defending the suit of Lamar Washington for an eighth interest in a half million dollars on the ground that when young Washington wedded Miss Lucille Graves Osborne, of New York, several years ago, he did not obtain the necessary consent stipulated in the Lamar will.

Lamar Washington now lives in New York. When a youth he was adopted by his uncle, the late H. J. Lamar, and in consideration of the lad's "transfer" the uncle paid Lamar's father, Col. W. H. Washington, of Nashville, $10,000.

When the uncle died his will provided that young Lamar Washington was to receive an eighth of an estate of $500,000 providing he obtained his aunt's consent to any marriage engagement he might make.

Several years ago young Washington wedded Miss Lucille Graves Osborne, of New York. Executors of the estate refused to give over any part of the property to Washington, contending he had not married to his aunt's wishes.

The Postoffice,
The Popular Magazines
and the People

A provision has been added to the postoffice appropriation bill by the Senate Postoffice Committee without proper notice or public hearing. It provides for an unjust, discriminatory and confiscatory tax on the popular magazines. By attaching this provision to the postoffice appropriation bill at the eleventh hour, all opportunity for open discussion and consideration by the people, the publishers and the Senate was cut off. It was an un-American star-chamber proceeding, accomplished under Presidential and political coercion. If this bill is passed with the provision which practically exempts from taxation magazines which have not spoken boldly on public questions, many of the popular periodicals will be put out of business altogether and the others without exception will be seriously crippled. Even if it were possible for the magazines to continue in business under these new conditions, the people would derive no benefit from the measure; for, until the Postoffice Department is taken out of politics and a businesslike management installed, it is improbable that any additional revenue collected will be used economically. We urge every friend of honest politics, economical government and a free press to telegraph or write an immediate protest to their Senators and Representatives.

The Curtis Publishing Company,
The Saturday Evening Post,
The Ladies Home Journal,
Philadelphia, Pa.

LAST OF THE WILSON NEGROES

Dave Young Arrested at Rocky Mount Sunday Morning—Confesses He Is Man Wanted but Denies He Was in House.

Rocky Mount, Feb. 12.—Dave Young, the last of the three outlawed negroes wanted in connection with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Mumford and shooting of Chief of Police Glover at Wilson, was taken by police here this morning, and confessed that he is the negro. He has an intimate knowledge of the crime that he has recited to the police, but emphatically denies that he was in the house at the time of the shooting. That it occurred at the home of his mother he learned late in the afternoon, when he was informed that West had stated that he was with him at the time of the shooting. Young stated that this was untrue and that he will be able to establish an alibi. He states he has been in this city and Wilson since the shooting and that he has in no wise tried to evade arrest.

He was arrested this morning in the colored section of the city known as Little Raleigh. There was no resistance. The fact that he was here became first known to police when there were discovered a number of pistols of similar make to those stolen from the Dunn Hardware Company that were being sold among colored people. They were being sold through a colored woman who evidently is a confederate of the gang. The pistols were finally traced back and the police expected to make the arrest last night, but were prevented from doing so until today. The Wilson authorities have been notified and the negro was taken back to Wilson today.

Will Lane has also been arrested and is in jail at Fayetteville.

FOR PEACE CONFERENCE.

Dawson Leaves for Honduras—May Settle Trouble.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Thomas C. Dawson, who will act as the American delegate to the Peace Conference in Honduras between representatives of President Davila and General Bonilla, left Washington tonight on his way to execute his mission in the Central American republic. He will sail from New Orleans Wednesday for Puerto Barrios, Guatemala, where he will be met by the American gunboat Tacoma and taken to Puerto Cortez.

Details of the instructions given to Mr. Dawson by the State Department are withheld for the present. But it is known that his purpose is to reconcile the conflicting factions in Honduras upon the basis of a plan to allow the people of the republic an opportunity to express their preferences absolutely without duress in the selection of the President and Congress. As a condition precedent it probably will be necessary for the factions to agree upon the assumption of executive power by a third party, neither Davila nor Bonilla, who shall hold office until such time as a general election can be held and the successful candidate for the presidency inaugurated. It is believed by the officials here that this can be done without any armed intervention on the part of the United States. With that exception the course to be followed would be like that adopted in the case of Cuba where through the good offices of the United States, the people were insured a fair and free election.

EXPLOSION IN NICARAGUA.

Created Considerable Excitement—Government to Investigate.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Salvador Castrillo, Nicaraguan minister to the United States, received a cablegram tonight from Salvador Calderon, Nicaraguan, minister of foreign relations, reporting an explosion at Managua.

The cablegram, dated Managua, read as follows: "This morning at 6 o'clock, an explosion of government ammunition occurred in the barracks on the Presidential mansion grounds. There was no loss of life. After the explosion much of the ammunition was saved and moved to a place of safety. The excitement following the explosion has subsided and everything now is tranquil.

"The government is now proceeding with deliberation to ascertain all the facts possible regarding the cause of the explosion and is determined to place the responsibility where it belongs. An impartial investigation will be made to determine whether there was any criminal intent."

ATLANTIC FLEET PRACTICE.

Going Along Smoothly at Guantanamo, Cuba—Details.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The drill and practice work of the Atlantic fleet goes along smoothly at Guantanamo, Cuba. The reports that reached the Navy Department by wireless via Key West, indicate that the men are engaged in almost unremitting labor with great profit. Admiral Schroeder reports that a regiment of six battalions from the first Division and armored cruisers under command of Captain Rush spent last week in camp ashore and in re-embarking Saturday, they made a record by breaking camp and returning to the ship in 50 minutes.

The Second Division is just returning to Samana Bay after a week's torpedo practice; the Third is undergoing admiral's inspection and the Fourth Division is at anchor. Two hundred and ninety-three men qualified in swimming during the week.

CIVIL WAR ANNIVERSARY.

Known As Lincoln-Davis Exposition Is Now Proposed.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 13.—A National Exposition is proposed for Louisville in 1915. It will be known as the Lincoln-Davis Exposition to mark the 50th anniversary of the end of the Civil war. Directors of the Louisville Convention League in announcement today call attention to the fact that both Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis, heads of the two governments opposed to each other from 1861 to 1865 were natives of Kentucky and the claim that Louisville is the proper place for such a celebration. It is probable that co-operation of the Federal government will be asked.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

All kinds of knitting yarns received today at C. H. Fore & Co's. **

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today. 5 cents. **

AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Governor Kitchin to Halifax—Several Charters Issued—Legislative Bill. New Commission Form of Government Bill.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 13.—Governor Kitchin is at Halifax today to deliver the principal address at the unveiling of a handsome monument erected to the memory of Past Grand Master Montfort, of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons.

A charter is issued to Conyers & Sykes, (Inc.), of Greensboro, to conduct a drug store; capital $25,000, to begin business when $5,000 is paid in. The incorporators are Z. V. Conyers, R. J. Sykes and E. D. Broadhurst. A charter is also granted to Rigby-Morrow Company, of Hendersonville, to deal in lumber; authorized capital $50,000, to begin business with $8,000. J. C. Morrow, J. A. Fletcher and L. T. Dermid are the incorporators. The Tarrymore Hotel Company, of Wrightsville, changes its name to the Oceanic Hotel Company, to conduct the Tarrymoore Hotel under the name of Oceanic Hotel in the future.

Up to today 231 bills and 11 resolutions have been ratified by the present General Assembly. Several hundred measures are pending and many more new bills are to be introduced, some of them of great importance, and the legislators will be rushed to death to wind up the business within the 60 days prescribed by law for them to receive pay.

An entirely new "commission form of government" bill for cities and towns of from 5,000 population and up was introduced in the House of Representatives today by General Julian S. Carr, of Durham. He says he has had it prepared by experts with the greatest care and proposes to press its passage through the Assembly. It is to be applicable to any town adopting it. It proposes three commissioners, one mayor and commissioner of public accounts and finance, one a commissioner of public works and "a commissioner of public safety," the three to be subject to recall on petition of 25 per cent. of the voters. Salaries are scaled so that towns of 5,000 shall pay mayor $800 and other two commissioners $600 a year; cities of not over 15,000 shall pay $900 and $800; cities of 2,000, $1,200 and $1,000 up to 25,000, $1,500 and $1,200; up to 30,000 shall pay $1,800 and $1,500; over 30,000 shall pay $2,400 and $2,000. The bill requires daily public sessions of the commission, the public schools being also under the direct control of the Commission. All public franchises are limited to 50 years and subject to vote of the people. The commission has control of rates of charges for public service corporations subject to appeal to the Corporation Commission where the commission cannot effect an agreement between petitioners and corporation. One of the commissioners is to be city treasurer without extra pay, his bond to be paid by the city. Ad valorem tax is limited to $1 on the $100 valuation. A dog tax not exceeding $5 each is allowed and maximum franchise taxes are named with telephone and electric light companies named at not over $100. Near beer is mentioned with all other drinks of as much as one-half of one per cent. alcohol at $500 per year. Municipal ownership of water and light plants are prescribed.

As president of the North Carolina Board of the American Red Cross Association Governor Kitchin has issued an appeal for donations of money and provisions in this State for the relief of the starving Chinese, all donations to be reported to Treasurer Joseph G. Brown, of Raleigh.

CHILDREN INJURED.

Ordinary Cathartics and Pills and Harsh Physic Cause Distressing Complaints.

You cannot be over-careful in the selection of medicine for children. Only the very gentle bowel medicine should ever be given, except in emergency cases. Ordinary pills, cathartics and purgatives are apt to do more harm than good. They cause griping, nausea and other distressing after-effects that are frequently health-destroying and a life-lasting annoyance.

We personally recommend and guarantee Rexall Orderlies as the safest and most dependable remedy for constipation and associate bowel disorders. We have such absolute faith in the virtues of this remedy that we sell it on our guarantee of money back in every instance where it fails to give entire satisfaction, and we urge all in need of such medicine to try it at our risk.

Rexall Orderlies are eaten like candy. They are particularly prompt and agreeable in action, may be taken at any time, day or night; do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, griping, excessive looseness or other undesirable effects, They have a very natural action upon the glands and organs with which they come in contact, act as a positive and regulative tonic upon the relaxed muscular coat of the bowel and its dry mucous lining; remove irritation, overcome weakness, tone and strengthen the nerves and muscles, and restore the bowels and associate organs to more vigorous and healthy activity.

Rexall Orderlies completely relieve constipation, except when of a surgical character. They also tend to overcome the necessity of constantly taking laxatives to keep the bowels in normal condition. Two sizes of packages, 10 cents and 25 cents. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Wilmington only at our store—The Rexall Store. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.

Theatrical

ADD THEATRE. ... ...

Tonight will witness one of Wilmington's most brilliant theatrical events in the appearance of Miss Blanche Ring, the noted musical comedy star, and her big New York company, presenting "The Yankee Girl." The affair is going to be a top-heavy one, too, because the sale of seats is already gigantic, though there are still some excellent seats left. The engagement tonight is one of the most important in theatrical annals for Wilmington, and it is also of interest to note that Wilmington is only the second "one night stand" played by the star this season. She jumped Sunday direct from Baltimore to Charlotte, where she played last night, coming from the Queen City to Wilmington and going from Wilmington to Charleston.

Miss Ring's season has been one continual triumph, for wherever she has appeared the business has been so satisfactory that she might remain in this section of the country, playing return engagements for an extended



MISS BLANCHE RING.
In "The Yankee Girl," Academy of Music Tonight.

period; but the West has demands upon her time, and a tour has been laid out for her that will take her to the principal cities from here to San Francisco and the chances are that we will not have an opportunity of seeing her in the present vehicle again.

A word or two might be added en passant, in regard to the company that surrounds Miss Ring. Harry Guilfoil, the principal comedian has no peer in his particular line of work and his wonderful imitations have been the comment of two hemispheres. William P. Carleton, the fine appearing tenor, has an unusually fine voice as well. Juan Villasana gives a dramatic sketch of the President of the Republic of Brilliantina, that would be commended in straight drama.

Blanche Ring has commissioned Mayo, author of "Baby Mine," and Edgar Selwyn, author of "The Country Boy," to complete a musical comedy for her by September. Carl Hoschna, composer of "Madam Sherry" will compose the score. Miss Ring may, however, continue to appear in her present vehicle. "The Yankee Girl," all next season, and she says she will never retire it from her repertory.

Grand Theatre.

Monday was a big day at the Grand and today promises to be another as not only are the pictures good but there are other features. Mr. Eugene LaBarre will play as a cornet solo "The Song of the Soul," which was the big hit in the Climax last night. Mr. Morgan has selected as the big comedy song, "When Teddy Comes Marching Home." The slides to this song are very funny and amusing. The pictures for today include "The Little Station Agent," "A Cowboy's Devotion," and "Crazy Apples." "A Cowboy's Devotion" is another famous Pathe and is the very last picture made. Those who were fortunate enough to see "His Life for His Queen" last night can appreciate what a really great picture these Pathe people can make. "Crazy Apples" is a comedy film, one of the latest Vitagraphs. The "Little Station Agent" is an Edison production and will prove most entertaining for the children. Doors open daily at 11 A. M.

"The City," Saturday.

Clyde Fitch's last and most powerful play, "The City," which ran all last season at the Lyric Theatre, New York, and created a sensation, will be presented by an exceptional cast at the Academy Saturday night. The play deals with the adventures of an ambitious, well-to-do country family in New York City and one of the most striking characters is a 'dope fiend," an illegitimate son, who brings about a chain of domestic disasters. Norman Hackett, Geoffrey C. Stein, M. H. Harriman, Josephine Florence Shepherd, Suzanne Willa and other well known players are in the company.

Seats will go on sale at Plummer's Friday morning.

Crystal Palace.

Another magnificent programme of vaudeville. Herrmann, Jr., The Great, is undoubtedly the most clever and fastest worker in magic that has ever played here. At the performances yesterday he kept the audiences in amazement and laughter for 20 to 25 minutes, and he is presenting an act that everyone can enjoy and appreciate. His Hindoo Trunk Mystery, closing the act, is performed in such a short time, only a few seconds, that it is a little short of wonderful. Mr. Frank Nash is a head-liner in his work on the banjo; today he will play a medley of National Airs, Irish selections, numbers from several operas, through the air will make the audiences sit up. "Max Goes Skiing" is another picture of much interest. The illustrated song today will be "I'd Like to be a Soldier Boy in Blue."

Joyland.

There will be a big feature programme on for today at the "New Joyland," and we think it will keep you laughing from start to finish. First, if you are a married man don't fail to see this programme, as we have a picture, "A Tip to Husbands," that is a scream, along with three other, a big Western comedy-drama, "The District Attorney," followed with a scream in "Bill's Widow." This title speaks for itself. Watch this space for our advertisement, as we have something in store for all of our patrons.

HERMANN, JR., THE GREAT.
King of Magic Appearing at Crystal Palace This Week.

EXPLOSION CAUSES STIR.

Sentinels Killed and Nicaraguan Capital Thrown into Excitement.

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 13.—In some way, at present unknown, an explosion occurred this morning in the ammunition barracks situated not far from the palace of the president. This was followed by a series of explosions, which killed three sentinels. The structure in which the ammunition and military supplies were housed caught fire and for several hours blazed furiously, further explosions following in rapid succession.

It is estimated that 7,000 rifles and 10,000,000 cartridges were destroyed. All the artillery, many rifles and a large amount of ammunition were saved.

President Estrada and General Luis Mena, minister of war, gave their personal attention to the direction of affairs, notwithstanding their imminent danger from flying bullets. The members of President Estrada's family were removed from the palace to the American consulate, and so great was the excitement caused by the explosions that martial law was declared throughout the city. Troops worked energetically removing the supplies from the buildings adjoining the ammunition barracks, and when later the fire had burned itself out, a search disclosed the bodies of three of the sentinels who probably were killed by the explosions. The search of the ruins is still being made and it is announced that a thorough investigation will be held to fix the blame for the disaster.

Numerous rumors have been current here respecting the cause of the explosion, and in some quarters there is a suspicion that it may have resulted from criminal intent.

REID-ROGERS ENGAGEMENT.

Son of Ambassador Reid Will Marry During March.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 13.—Mrs. Benjamin Talbott Rogers today announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Miles Rogers, to Mr. Ogden Mills Reid, of New York City, the son of Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid.

Miss Rogers comes from an old Wisconsin family and is a graduate of Barnard College. For several years she was Mrs. Reid's secretary and has many friends in New York and London. Mr. Reid is a director and secretary of the Tribune Association, publishers of the New York Tribune. He is a graduate of Yale College, and the Yale law school and a member of the New York bar. He is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, Union League, Union Club and other leading New York clubs.

The wedding will take place about the middle of March.

Easton, Pa., Feb. 11.—Mrs. Margaret M. S. C. March, wife of Professor Francis A. March, the noted English scholar, died today at her home on the LaFayette College campus, of apoplexy, brought on by worry over the condition of her husband, who some weeks ago fell and broke his hip. Mrs. March was 74 years old. She was born in Fredericksburg, Va., and was a granddaughter of Thomas Stone, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 13.—The meeting of the stockholders of the Norfolk Southern Railroad Company for authorization of an increase of $12,000,000 in the present mortgage indebtedness has again been postponed to February 28th.

MRS. JINKS STILL IMPROVING

News From Treadway, Telling of Invalid's Quick Recovery and Continued Improvement.

Treadway, Tenn.—Mrs. Mary Jinks, of this place, writes: "I suffered for nearly ten years with womanly troubles, and, at last, I took down and thought I would die. I could not sleep. I couldn't eat. I had pains all over. The doctors gave me up.

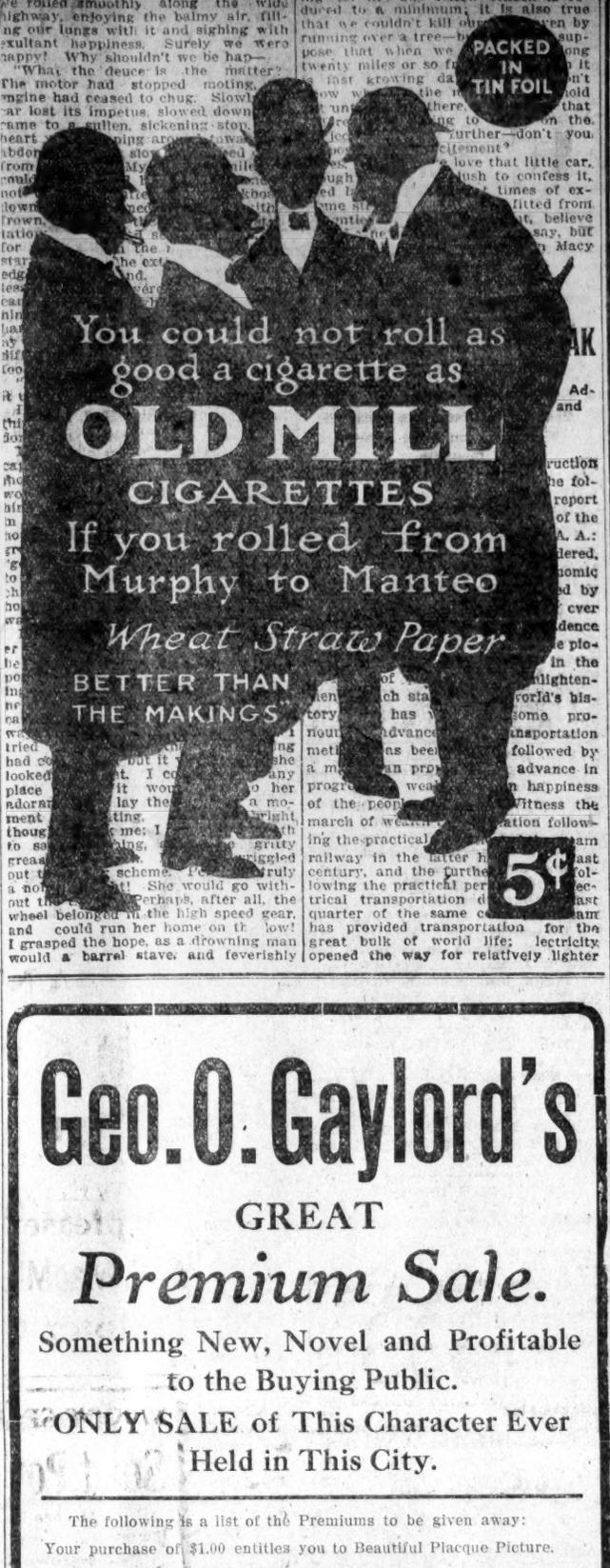
I read that Cardui had helped so many, so I began to take it, and it cured me. Cardui saved my life! Now, I feel better than I have in years. Before I began to take Cardui, I could hardly work. Now, I can sew on the machine, or do anything. I am glad to praise Cardui. I will never be without it, as long as I live."

If you are weak, tired, worn-out, or sufferer from any of the pains peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, dragging pains, pains in arm, side hip or limbs, and other symptoms of womanly trouble, you are urged to try Cardui, the woman's tonic.

Prepared from perfectly harmless, vegetable ingredients, Cardui is the best remedy for you to use, since it can do you nothing but good.

Thousands of ladies have regained their health by taking Cardui. Try it.

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Your purchase of $3.00 entitles you to Beautiful Kid Doll.
Your purchase of $4.00 entitles you to Dresden Hall Vase.
Your purchase of $5.00 entitles you to Venetian Jardinier.
Your purchase of $6.00 entitles you to pair of Roller Skates.
Your purchase of $15.00 entitles you to Handsome Watch, guaranteed.

These Premiums will be given each day during this sale.

This sale embraces two seasons' stock. Including all Winter stock and advanced receipts of Early Spring goods.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to Jan 10, 1911, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

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*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv..	WILMINGTON.....Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	
10 03pm	11 43am	Ar..	.....Goldsboro.....Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	
11 00pm	12 43pm	Ar	.....Wilson.....Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	.....Rocky Mount .....Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	
2 15am	4 55pm	Ar.	.....Weldon.....Lv.	11 30am	3 25am	
4 00am	7 05pm	Ar.	.....Petersburg.....Lv.	9 13am	1 38am	
6 40am	9 00pm	Ar.	.....Richmond.....Lv.	8 15am	1 00am	
8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	.....Washington.....Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm	
9 16am	1 15am	Ar.	.....Baltimore.....Lv.	2 50am	8 20pm	
11 35am	3 40am	Ar.	.....West Philadelphia.....Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	
1 31pm	5 40am	Ar.	.....Manhattan Tr. (a)..Lv.	9 50pm	3 58pm	
1 50pm	b5 50am	Ar.	.....NEW YORK..... v.*9 30pm	*3 38pm		
			(7th Ave. & 32nd St.)			

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.
b—Sleeper may be occupied until 7:30 A. M.

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

42	48		*Daily.	49	41	
*7 00am	*8 40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON ... Ar.	6 25pm	9 45am	
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	.. Rocky Mount .. Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	
3 30am	1 20pm	Lv.	.. Rocky Mount .. Ar.	12 55pm	10 35pm	
4 13am	2 05pm	Ar.	.. Tarboro .. Lv.	12 18pm	9 58pm	
8 00am	5 55pm	Ar.	NORFOLK .. Lv.	*8 15am	*620pm	

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars, Wilmington and Norfolk.
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55	51		*Daily.	50	54	
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv	WILMINGTON.....Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm	
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.	.....Florence.....Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am	
11 20pm	12 50pm	Ar.	.....Charleston..... Lv.	4 37pm	5 25am	
2 25am	3 25pm	Ar	.....Savannah.....Lv.	12 05pm	12 25am	
11 55am	2 20am	Ar	.....Albany..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	
9 40am	1 45am	Ar.	.....Thomasville.....Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm	
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar.	.....Montgomery.....Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	
7 15am	8 00pm	Ar.	.....JACKSONVILLE.....Lv.	7 30am	7 55pm	
2 05pm	2 15am	Ar.	.....Sanford, Fla.....Lv.	1 35am	2 55pm	
7 00pm	7 00am	Ar.	.....TAMPA.....Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	
8 55pm	8 00am	Ar	ST. PETERSBURG....Lv.	8 15pm	6 45am	
10 20pm	1 05pm	Ar	FORT MYERS ..... Lv.	*8 00pm	*6 45am	

ALL TRAINS CARRY PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS—Sleeper arriving Wilmington on No. 50 at 11:40 P. M., may be occupied until 7:00 A. M., and sleeper leaving Wilmington on No. 51 at 5:45 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M., the previous night. Seat farec sold in Pullman cars to and from Wilmington.

55	51		*Daily.	32-50	54
*3:10pm	*5 45am	Lv.....	.....WILMINGTON.....Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.....	.....Florence.....Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
9 20pm	11 30am	Ar.....	.....Sumter.....Lv.	5 50pm	7 35am
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar.. ..	.....COLUMBIA.....Lv.	4 10pm	6 00am
9 25am	.....	Ar.....	.....AUGUSTA.....	Lv.	2 30pm	.....
11:50pm	1 10pm	Lv	COLUMBIA, Sou. Ry. ..	Ar	2 30pm	4 40am
5 30am	7 40pm	Ar.....	.....Saluda...Sou. Ry....	Lv.	8 45am	10 25pm
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar.....	.....Hendersonville..Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	8 05am	9 50pm
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar.....	.....ASHEVILLE Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	7 00am	8 50pm
7 20pm	.....	Ar.....	.....Knoxville...Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	*1 35am	7 40am
8 40am	.....	Ar.....	.....Louisville...Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	.....	8 00am
8 00am	.....	Ar.....	.....CINCINNATI Q. & C.....	Lv.	.....	*8 10pm

51—SLEEPING CAR Wilmington to Columbia.

55—SLEEPING CARS, Wilmington to Columbia, Columbia to Asheville and Asheville to Louisville and Cincinnati.

54—SLEEPING CARS Cincinnati and Louisville to Asheville. Asheville to Columbia and Columbia to Wilmington. Sleeper from Columbia open to receive passengers at 10 P. M.

50—SLEEPING CAR Columbia to Wilmington.

Sleeping cars arriving Wilmington 11:40 P. M. and Columbia 11:10 P. M. may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.

Sleeping car leaving Wilmington 5:45 A. M. will be open receive passengers at 10:00 P. M.

57	51	55	*Dly.	Dly. Ex. Sun.	xSun only.	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv.....	WILMINGTON. ...Ar.		1 40pm	11 40pm	8 30am
9 15pm	7 28am	5 09pm	Ar.....	CHADBOURN ...Lv.		*11 40am	*9 56pm	6 25am
10 10pm	11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv.....	CHADBOURN....Ar.		7 10am	5 00pm	6 15am
11 45pm	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar.....	....CONWAY.....	Lv.	z5 40am	3 30pm	4 30am

59	53	* Daily.	!Daily ex. Sun	60	52
6 30pm	*8 45am	Lv.....	WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar.....	.....Fayetteville	Lv.	7 10am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv.....	.....Fayetteville	Ar.	6 30am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar.....	.....SANF. RD.....	Lv.	5 05am	*3 30pm

62	64	*Daily.	!Daily Except Sunday.	63	65
*3 25pm	5 50am	Lv.....	WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	12 50pm	6 50pm
5 22pm	7 42am	Ar.....	.....Jacksonville, N. C.....	Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 05am	Ar..	Nor. & Son. Junction.....	Lv.	9 35am	3 35pm
6 50pm	9 10am	Ar	NEWBERN, N. C.....	Lv.	*9 30am	3 30pm

For folders, reservations, rates or fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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Trains leave Wilmington, Effective Nov. 6th, 1910.

NO. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet, 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:59 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 64, for Washington and New York; No. 62 for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No 65, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M.

E. W. ARRINGTON, Union Ticket Agent. 'Phone No. 1294.
F. A. FETTER, Commercial Agent, Orton Hotel. 'Phone No. 178.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Tuesday, Jan. 3rd, 1911.

TO THE BEACH

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess:	Leave Lumina:
6:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
3:00	3:45
4:30	5:25
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15

SUNDAYS.

8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:0 P. M.	1:45
2:30	3:15
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:25
7:10	6:50
8:30	7:50
	9:15

WRIGHTSVILLE.

Leave Wilmington, for Wrightsville:
Week Days—6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10: , 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Sundays—8:30, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:20, 7:30, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:00, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.
Sundays—9:25, 10:25, 10:50 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:25, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

GOLF LINKS.

Leave Wilmington for Golf Links:
Week Days—6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30, 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10; 8:30, 10:00, 11:00.
Leave Golf Links for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:35, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:45, 11:15, 12:45, 2:15, 4:15, 5:15, 6:55, 8:15, 9:45, 10:50, 11:40.

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Lv. Petersburg	10:50 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late J. D. Poisson, deceased, late of New Hanover County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Wilmington, N. C., on or before the 16th day of January, A. D. 1912, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 16th day of January, A. D. 1911.

P. Q. MOORE, Administrator of J. D. Poisson, deceased.

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MARINE

Arrived.

Str. Carib, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Sherman, Fayetteville, C. F. Love.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Anglo-Chilian (Br.), 2,442 tons, Fremantle, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Majory Brown, 1,061 tons, Hensen, C. D. Maffitt.

Delta (Ger.), 1,261 tons, Krag, Heide & Co.

Potomac, 2,355 tons, Wamsley, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Jellinge (Dan.), 1,008 tons, Andersen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Annette Furness (Dan.), 1,135 tons, Barsen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

G. J. Cherry, 468 tons, Carteret, C. D. Maffitt.

Robert H. McCurdy, 602 tons, Watts, C. D. Maffitt.

John B. Blemiller, 858 tons, Adams, C. D. Maffitt.

Augustus Welt, 1,111 tons, Sproul, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Atlantis Coast Line—327 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 127 barrels tar; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—80 casks spirits turpentine; 57 barrels rosin.

Schr. Geo. Slover—1 cask spirits turpentine; 40 barrels rosin.

Schr. Chauncey T.—5 casks spirits turpentine; 71 barrels rosin.

Total—327 bales cotton; 88 casks spirits turpentine; 168 barrels rosin; 127 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Feb. 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, 86½ cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $6.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.40 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, quiet $5.25 per barrel, for hard; $6.75 for dip and $6.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 52 1-2; rosin nothing doing; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine; firm $2.50, $4.00 and $4.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	88
Rosin	366
Tar	127
Crude Turpentine	4

Receipts same day last year, 1 cask spirits turpentine; 265 barrels rosin; 100 barrels rosin; (—) barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, 14 1-4 cents.

Receipts—327 bales; same day last year, 897 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Feb. 11.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, extra prime 70 cents, fancy 75 cents. Spanish from $1.05 to $1.15. North Carolina, No. 1, $1.40 to $1.50 per bushel. New crop.

CORN—Firm, 70c per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams, 15; shoulders, old, 15; and sides, 15c.

EGGS—Dull, 15 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring, 20 to 35; grown, good demand, 40 to 50c.

BEESWAX—Firm 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm, at 65 to 70 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—60 cents per head.

PORK—8 to 10 cents, net.

SHEEP—No demand.

LAMB—Out of season.

PEAS—White peas, $2.75 to $3.00; cow peas, $2.00 per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 80 to 90 cents, dull.

PEANUTS.

(Repoted by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Spanish—Market, firm, at $1.22½ per bushel.

Virginias—Market firm, at 3¾@4¼c. for Jumbos; 3½@3¾ for Fancy Hand-Picked; 3c. to 3¼c. for Machine Picked; 2½@2¾c. for Shelling stock.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET

Spot Dull, 14 Points Lower—Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, Feb. 13.—Spot dull, prices 14 points lower. American middling fair 7.97; good middling 7.65; middling 7.53; low middling 7.33; good ordinary 7.07; ordinary 6.82.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,700 American.

Receipts 19,000 bales including 18,800 American.

Futures opened easy and closed steady. Feb. 7.34 1-2; Feb. and March 7.34 1-2; March and April 7.35; April and May 7.36; May and June 7.37 1-2; June and July 7.36 1-2; July and Aug. 7.35 1-2; August and Sept. 7.20; Sept. and Oct. 6.95 1-2; Oct. and Nov. 6.82; Nov. and Dec. 6.76 1-2; Dec. and Jan. 6.76; Jan. and Feb. 6.76.

SEVEN DIE BY GAS.

Entire Family in New York Ghetto Asphyxiated.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—Seven members of one family, the father, mother and five children, were killed by illuminating gas in their home in the ghetto of this city today. The dead are: Hyman Berkowitz, aged 42 years; Rose, his wife, aged 40 years; Minnie, Michael, Israel, Rebecca and Pauline, whose ages range from 18 to 5 years.

When their bodies were discovered in the gas filled room by neighbors the father lay fully dressed on one bed with the two small boys, while the mother and three girls were in another bed in the same room on the third floor. The gas was escaping from a tube which connected a gas stove on the first floor where the kitchen and living room were lcated. The father was seen by neighbors coming home about 1 o'clock this morning and it is supposed that he accidentally stumbled against the tube, pulling it away from the fixture on the wall. The oldest girl, Minnie, was to have been married in a few days. Her trousseau was found hanging in the room on the second floor.

Best 10c yard-wide bleaching for 7 1-2 cents; 10 yards fine cambric for 89c at Rehder's White Sale. **

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

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TEDDY TALKS BOXING.

Owen Moran Met the Colonel On New York Central Train.

New York, Feb. 12.—Owen Moran, the English light-weight champion pugilist, and Theodore Roosevelt clasped hands and exchanged good wishes in the dining car of a New York Central train, which brought them both to this city from Michigan today.

Moran picked out the colonel among a party which entered the dining car of the Wolverine last night. When a friend who noted Moran's presence approached Mr. Roosevelt and asked him if he would like to meet the English light-weight, the colonel immediately turned away from his companions and walked over to Moran's table.

"I've been a little out of line on boxing matters for the last year or so," said the colonel after greetings were exchanged. He was speedily enlightened as to Moran's record and on kindred pugilistic events among the light-weights.

"So you knocked Nelson out, did you? Fine! Magnificent!" exclaimed the colonel, who looked the little fighter over appreciatively. For some time they exchanged reminences of fights and fighters.

When remarked on the readiness with which Colonel Roosevelt had consented to talk to him and the contrast with the fighter found with the exclusiveness of eminent men abroad, the colonel straightened up and clenched his hands.

"Well, there's no king that I can't talk to, and no honest man that can't talk to me," the colonel declared with characteristic emphasis. Boxer and former president wished each other the best of good fortune on parting.

REV. C. MANLY MORTON.

Wilson Times Pays Tribute to His Worth—In Wilmington.

(Wilson, N. C. Times.)

We learn with real pleasure that the talented and gifted young preacher the Rev. C. Manly Morton, who graduated at the Atlantic Chirstian College, and who is most affectionately remembered by our community, has "made good" in Wilmington, and has already established the reputation of being a preacher of thrilling eloquence and electricifying oratory. He is pastor of the Christian church in Wilmington, and is daily growing in popularity, for he has those fine qualities and Christian graces that win the highest esteem.

TOOK HIM PRISONER.

Bold Deed of Three Masked Men in Oklahoma.

Indiahoma, Okla., Feb. 13.—Three masked men believed to have come from Mountain Park, one of the rival contestants for the county seat in the new county of Swenson, appeared at the home of C. E. Bull, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, four miles north of the city today and took Mr. Bull prisoner. James Smith, an employe on Bull's farm interferred and was shot and killed. The men escaped with their prisoner. County officers are in pursuit with bloodhounds.

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IMPORTANT COTTON CASES.

Respecting Shipment and Commission of Staple—Details.

Washington, February 13.—Two of the most important cases respecting the shipment and compression of cotton that ever have been brought before the Inter-State Commerce Commission today were assigned for hearing at Montgomery, Ala., beginning on March 3rd, and at Atlanta, Ga., beginning on March 6th.

The cases are those of the Commercial and Industrial Association, of Union Springs, Alabama, against the Central of Georgia Railroad and other carriers, and the railroad commission of Alabama against the Central of Georgia Railroad and others.

Both cases affect the rates on the shipment of cotton from every part of the cotton belt in the South, not only to points of compression, but to ultimate destinations in this country and in Europe. The complaint in the first case alleges unjust discrimination against cotton buyers, cotton merchants and compressers; and the second avers that the railroads invoke unreasonable discriminatory regulations respecting the transportation and compression of cotton.

Not only every cotton planter and every cotton buyer, but every railroad in the cotton belt is interested directly in the adjudication of the cases. They are regarded as of so much importance that Judge Clements, chairman of the commission, himself, will go South to hear the testimony in them.

"The Runaway Motor Car"—Bijou today, 5 cents. **

SKIN DISEASES

HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

Nature has made ample provision in the moisture and sunshine of the air for the outward protection and healthy condition of the skin. But the more important work of nourishing the cuticle has been left to an inward source—the blood. It is from the circulation that the pores and glands receive their stimulus, and the fibrous tissues are all preserved in a healthful state because of constant nutriment supplied by the blood. It is only when the circulation becomes infected with humors or acids that we are troubled with skin affections. The humors producing these troubles are carried through the circulation direct to the skin, and their irritating or inflammatory effect remains until the blood is cleansed. S. S. S. cures Skin Diseases, because it is the greatest of all blood purifiers. It goes into the circulation and REMOVES the acids and humors which are causing the trouble, builds up the weak, acrid blood, and completely cures Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, pimples, rashes, aud all eruptions of the skin. When S. S. S. has driven out the humors every symptom passes away, the skin is again nourished with cooling, healthful blood, natural evaporation is renewed, and the skin becomes soft and smooth. Book on Skin Diseases and medical advice free

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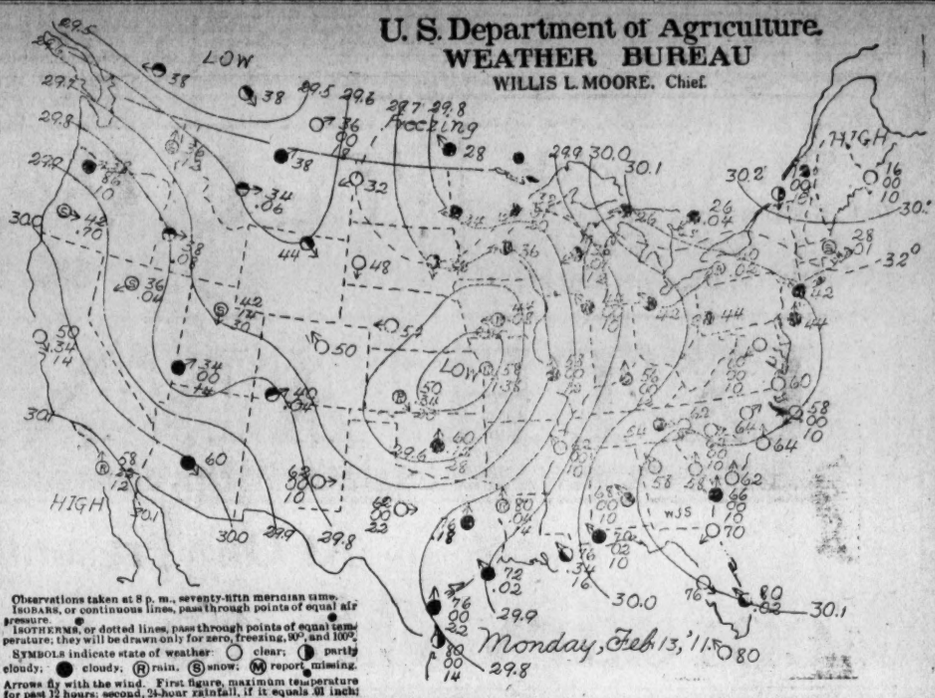
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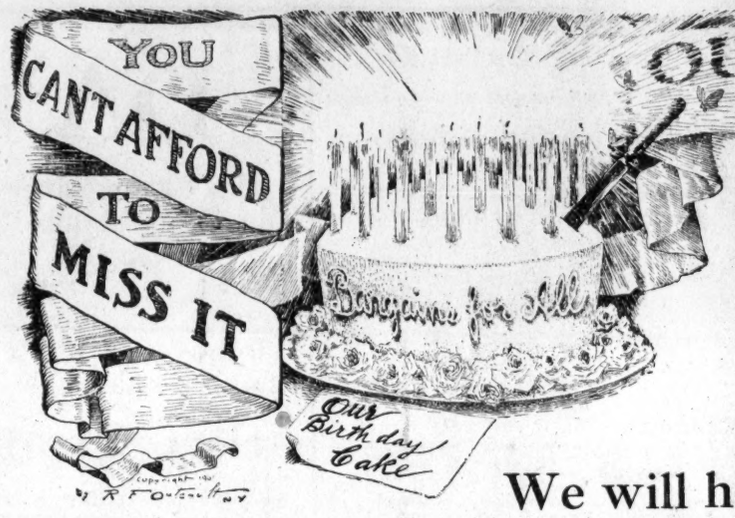
Lot Ladies' Hand-Bags — slightly soiled; sold from $1.00 to $5.00—Anniversary Sale Price 50c

Craddock's Medicated Soap, and other good brands; regular price, 10c; this sale, cake 5c

Sweet Marie Soap; large cakes — Anniversary Sale Price 3 1-2c

Air Float Talcum Powder; regular 10c sellers; this sale, limit 3 cans to one customer 5c

One lot Ladies' Back Combs; plain and fancy; worth 50c —Anniversary Sale Price, only 18c





1905-6 YEARS-1911

6th Anniversary Sale Will Be

A Sale on White Goods

We will hold our annual White Goods Sale this year as our Sixth Anniversary Sale in our present stand. Our stock is complete---the new white goods, new wash goods, new muslin underwear, have all arrived and offered in this big White Goods Sale. Note few prices below:

Our Anniversary Sale Begins Wednesday Morning, February 15th, at Nine O'Clock Sharp

To the First 25 Ladies entering the Store Wednesday morning at nine o'clock we will sell 1 doz. 40-in. White Apron Lawn, 12 1-2c value— **15c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WHITE GOODS.

15c White Flaxon— Anniversary Sale Price **11c**

30c White Sheer Flaxon— Anniversary Sale Price **24c**

40-in. White Apron Lawn, 12 1-2c value— Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

40-in. White 18c Apron Lawn— Anniversary Sale Price **12c**

12-yard pieces of Long Cloth, Egyptian Brand, worth $1.50— Anniversary Sale Price **$1.09**

$1.25 Long Cloth; good quality— Anniversary Sale Price **95c**

$1.75 Fine Sheer Long Cloth; 12 yds. to the piece—Anniversary Sale Price **$1.38**

$2.25 Extra Fine Sheer Long Cloth; 12-yd. pcs.—Anniversary Sale Price, per pc. **$1.75**

36-in. Lonsdale Finish Cambric— Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **9c**

Killarney Linen, 40-in. wide; sold only by us in this city; 18c. value— Anniversary Sale Price **12c**

36-in. Dimity; suitable for Underwear or Children's Dresses; limit, 10 yds. to a customer— Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

24-in. Cotton Diaper, worth $1.00 a piece of 10 yds.—Anniversary Sale Price **79c**

White Repp; 27-in. wide; worth 20c a yard— Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **15c**

36-in. White Linene; 12 1-2c value— Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

36-in. White Linene; heavy quality; worth 15c—Anniversary Sale Price **12c**

To the First 10 Men entering our Store Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, a $6.00 Leather Suit Case or Hand-Bag; one to a customer— for, each **$3.85**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WHITE BED SPREADS.

$1.25 White Bed Spreads; full size— Anniversary Sale Price **98c**

$1.75 Full size Bed Spreads— Anniversary Sale Price **$1.31**

25c. Nazareth Waists for Children, ages 2 to 12 years— Anniversary Sale Price **18c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF WASH GOODS.

25c. to 50c. values in White and Colored Madras—Anniversary Sale Price, yard **19c**

15c Colored Linene; 36-in. wide— Anniversary Sale Price **9c**

19c. Mercerized Foulards; all this season's goods—Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **14c**

25c Fine Mercerized Foulards— Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **19c**

Colored Dress Ginghams; worth 12 1-2c a yard; Anniversary Sale Price, per yard **9c**

Rose Batiste; light grounds and figured; fast colors; worth 12 1-2c Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

15c Extra Fine Batiste; fast colors— Anniversary Sale Price **12c**

25c Printed Flaxon; fast colors— Anniversary Sale Price **17c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF TABLE LINEN AND TOWELS, ETC.

15c bleached Turkish Towels— Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

25c Full Size bleached Turkish Towels— Anniversary Sale Price **19c**

35c Extra large, heavy bleached Turkish Towels—Anniversary Sale Price, each **23c**

18c Extra large Huck Towels— Anniversary Sale Price **12c**

15c All-Linen Crash Toweling— Anniversary Sale Price, yard **10c**

All-Linen, heavy bleacher Damask; 60c quality—Anniversary Sale Price **48c**

72-in. Mercerized bleached Table Damask; 75c. value—Anniversary Sale Price **59c**

66-in. Mercerized bleached Table Damask; 60c value—Anniversary Sale Price **45c**

$1.25 Satin Damask fine Table Linen— Anniversary Sale Price **98c**

Wednesday, at 3 P. M., Feb. 15th—the day of our Sale—we will sell a limited quantity of 15c fast black Hose, for children, at, a pair **5c**

75c. Children's good quality School Umbrellas **50c**

Lot Ladies' Gold and Silver Handle Umbrellas; worth $5.00; go at this sale **$2.88**

One lot Kabo, W.-B. and Warner Corsets; worth $1.50 to $2.50— Anniversary Sale Prices **88c**

Lot of Pictures, with gilt and black frames; worth 15c.; this sale, each 7 1-2c

Larger size; worth 35c.; now 18c

Ladies' Muslin Underwear



The assortment is entirely new. At the prices we are offering Ladies' Muslin Underwear, it's cheaper to buy them than the material and make them yourself. Note Prices below—

65c Ladies' Gowns; made in High and Low Neck; neatly trimmed; fine cambric— Anniversary Price **43c**

$1.00 Ladies Gowns and Skirts, embroidered, trimmed Anniversary Price **78c**

$1.25 Ladies' Gowns, Skirts and Pants, made of fine Cambric or Nainsook; 1,000 garments are on sale—Anniversary Sale Price **96c**

$1.75 and $2.00 Nainsook Gowns; well made; full size; trimmed with Lace and Embroidery; Anniversary Sale Price, each **$1.38**

65c and 75c Ladies' Corset Covers; lace and embroidery trimmed— Anniversary Sale Price **39c**

Ladies' 65c. Cambric Drawers, lace and embroidery trimmed— Anniversary Sale Price **45c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF SHEETS AND CASES.

90c full size Bed Sheets; heavy quality— Anniversary Sale Price, each **69c**

$1.00 Extra Large Sheet, 90x94 1-2 inches; best quality—Anniversary Sale Price **78c**

15c Full Size Bleached Pillow Cases— Anniversary Sale Price **11c**

20c. Corded Border Pillow Cases; fine quality—Anniversary Sale Price, each **14c**

Ten Per Cent Discount on our fine Table Napkins and Satin Damask Towels.

$3.98 Children's Rain Capes— Anniversary Sale Price **$2.98**

$1.25 Kid Gloves, black and colors— Anniversary Sale Price, pair **98c**

Gent's' $1.50 Kid Gloves; pair— Anniversary Sale Price **$1.18**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF READY TO WEAR GARMENTS.

$15.00 to $18.00 Ladies' Suits; the last of our Fall Suits—Anniversary Sale Price **$6.50**

We offer our $20.00, $25.00 and $35.00 White Coats and Coat Suits at 1-2 Price, for this Anniversary Sale.

$8.00 Ladies' Rain Coats, in navy blue and natural colors— Anniversary Sale Price **$5.00**

$9.00 Ladies' Rain Coats, Moire and Rep— Anniversary Sale Price **$6.75**

Ladies' Sweaters reduced for our Anniversary Sale— $2.50 for $1.98; our $3.00 Sweaters, $2.38; $3.50 Sweaters for $2.68.

Ladies' and Children's Woolen Underwear will be sold at Cost, during our Anniversary Sale.

Ladies' Tailored Lawn and Linene Waists; $1. new goods—Anniversary Sale Price **95c**

Ladies Lawn and Lingeries Waists; $1.25 value; new goods—Anniversary Sale Price **99c**

New shades of 50c Tussah Silks and Foulards—Anniversary Sale Price **38c**

27-in. Black 65c Oriental Silk— 27-in. Black Oriental Silk— **48c**

36-in. Black Taffeta; every yard warranted; $1.50 quality, per yard— Anniversary Sale Price **$1.12**

Thursday, Feb. 16th, at 9 A. M., we will sell a large Bleached Sheet for, each **35c**

Thursday afternoon, at 3 P. M., we will sell 15c Persian Lawn for **8c**

Embroidered Flouncing, 18- to 27-in. wide worth 50c; a yard—Anniversary Sale Price **25c**

Embroidery for Shirt Waist Fronts; worth from $1.50 to $2.00; per yard— Anniversary Sale Price **$1.15**

15c Dotted Swiss for Drapery; per yard— Anniversary Sale Price **10c**

Priestley Black Voile; $1.50 quality— Anniversary Sale Price **$1.19**

50-in. S. and C. Voile; iron $1.50 quality; per yard—Anniversary Sale Price ... **$1.29**

Priestley Black Mohair; 46-in. wide; 65c. quality—Anniversary Sale Price **47c**

$1.00 Priestley Mohairs— Anniversary Sale Price **79c**

One lot of 50c. colored Dress Goods, including Black Mohair; yd—Anniversary Sale Price **34c**

$1.00, 52-in. Broadcloth, in black and colors; this sale **79c**

$1.25 Ladies Taped Edge Umbrellas— Anniversary Sale Price **89c**

Linen Drawn Work; center pieces and table covers; all at Reduced Prices.

100 doz. Gent's' Cravats, "La Mare" make; all new—Anniversary Sale Price **19c**

Anniversary Sale--The C. W. Polvogt Co.--White Goods Sale